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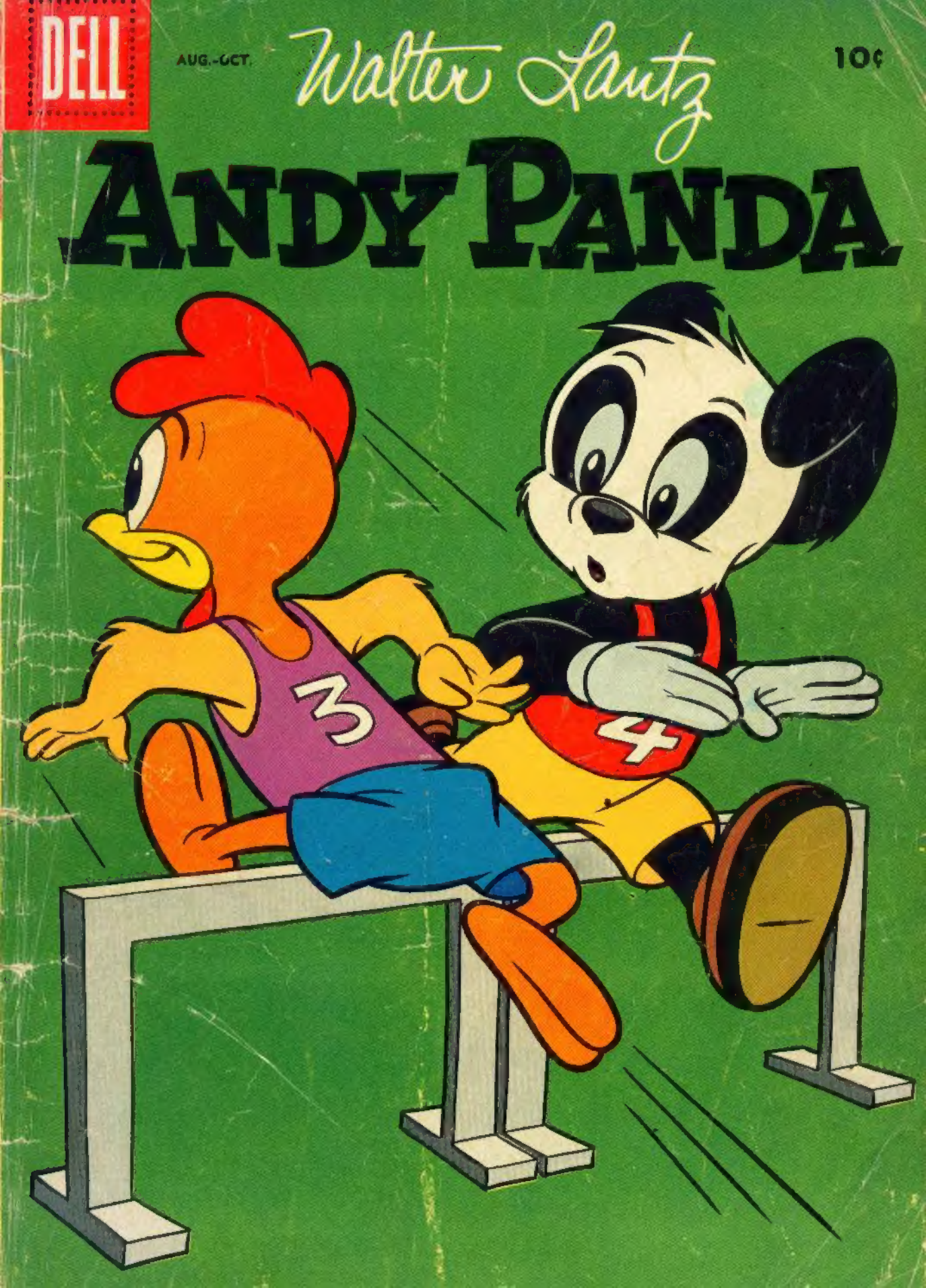

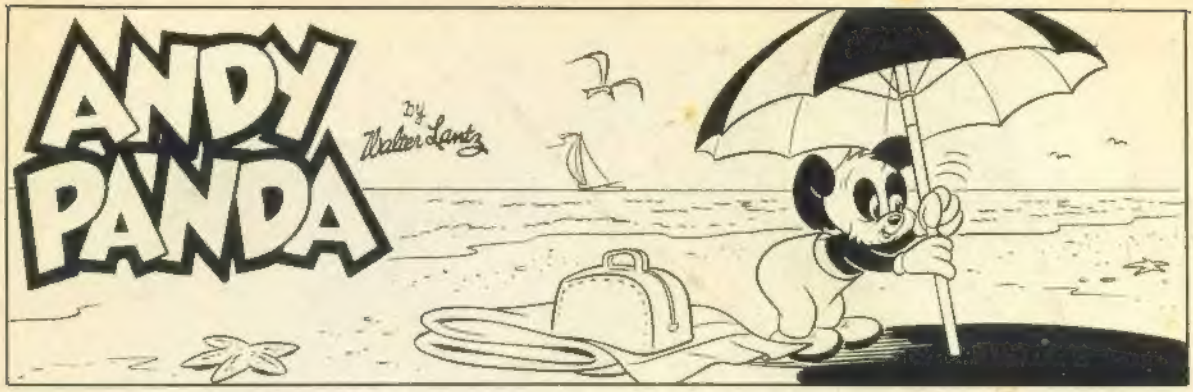

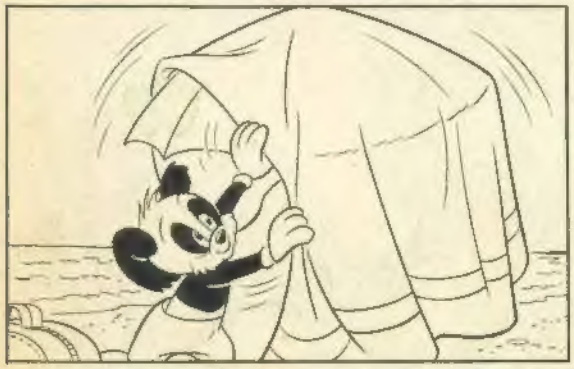

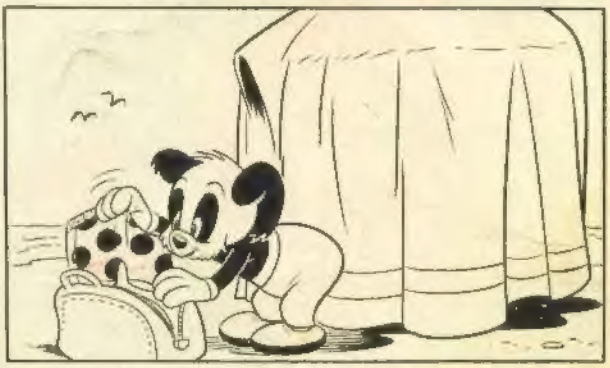

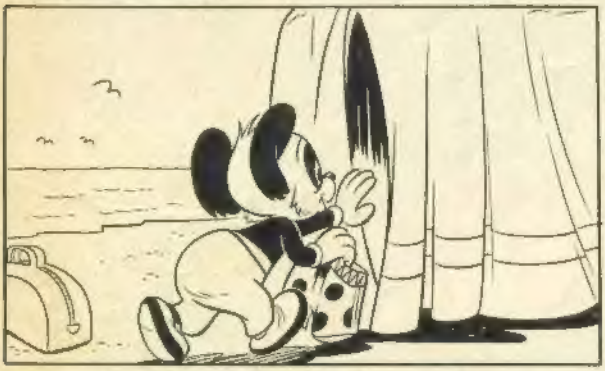

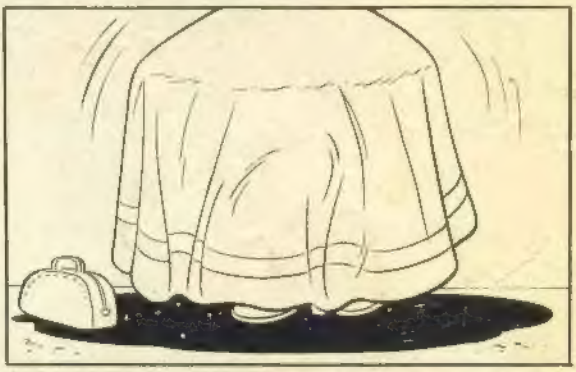

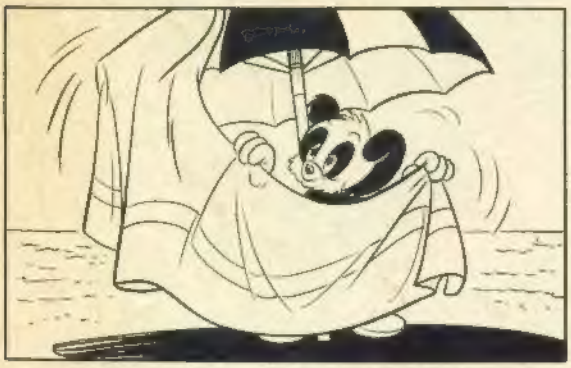

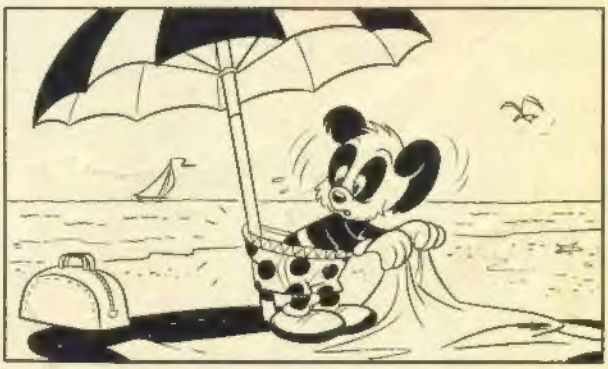

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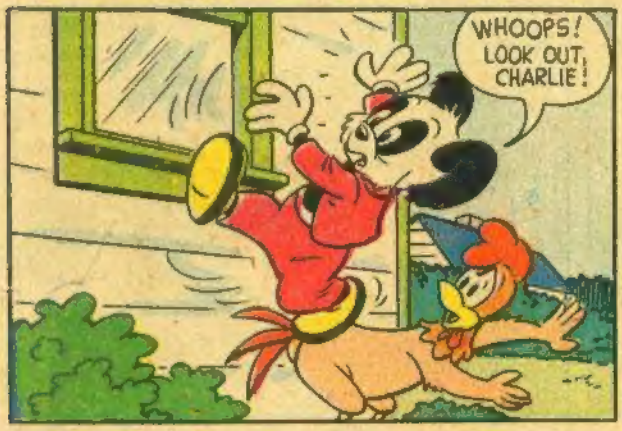
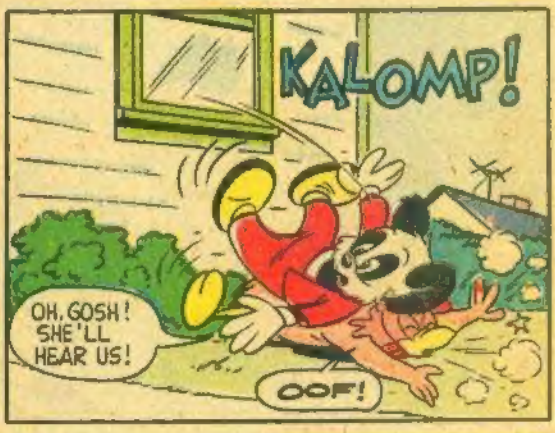
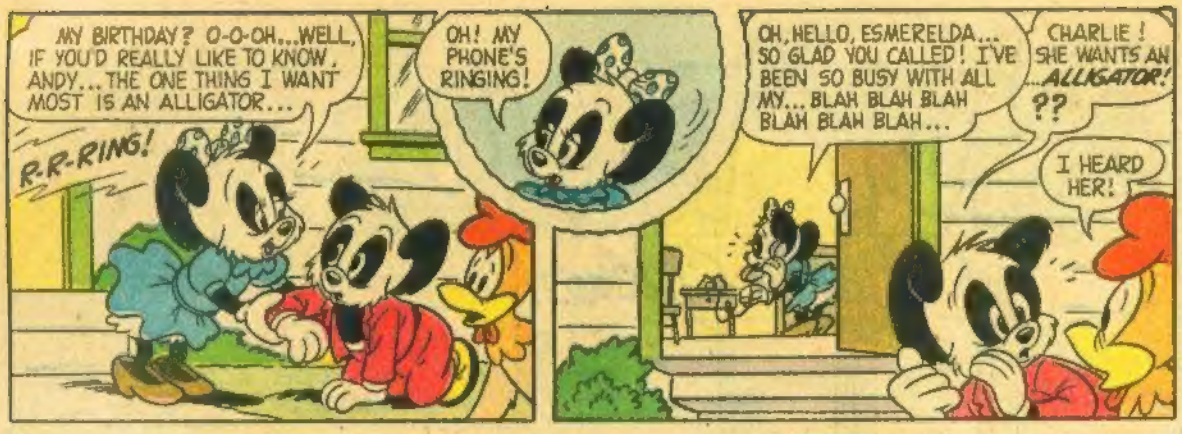
HAH! MIRANDA AND HER SECRETS! IT LOOKS AS IF SHE'S GOT HERSELF SOME AQUARIUM TANKS...I CAN SEE THAT MUCH!

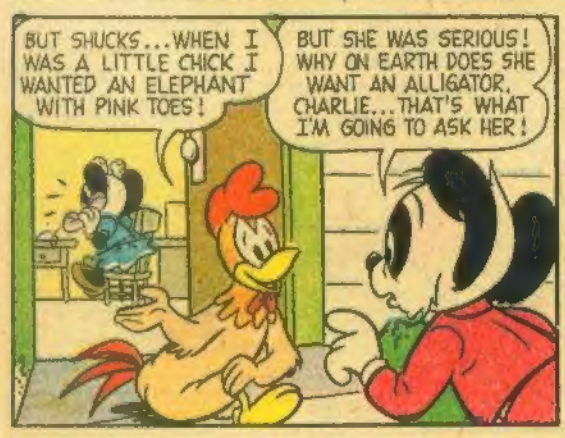
AN' AQUARIUM? THEN HER NEW HOBBY MUST BE RAISING...

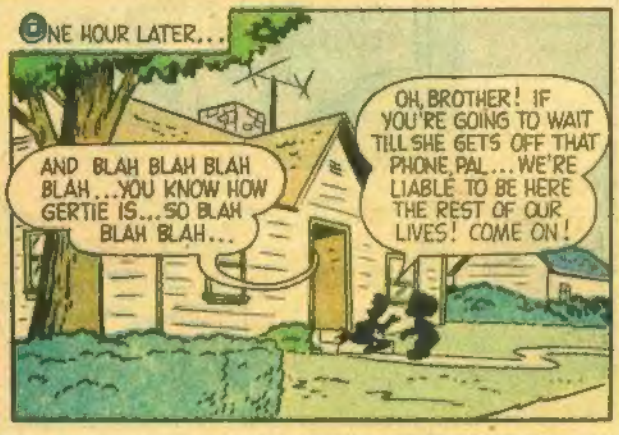
MIRANDA PANDA

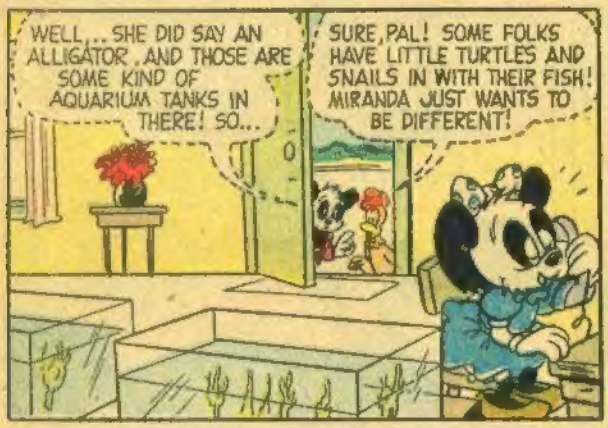


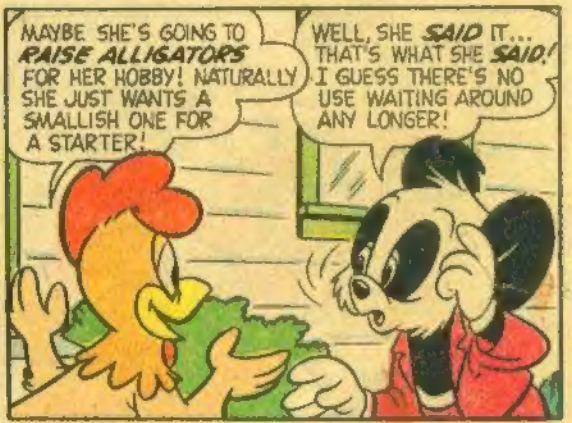



MY BIRTHDAY? O-O-OH...WELL, IF YOU'D REALLY LIKE TO KNOW, ANDY...THE ONE THING I WANT MOST IS AN ALLIGATOR...
R-R-RING!
OH! MY PHONE'S RINGING!
OH, HELLO, ESMERELDA... SO GLAD YOU CALLED! I'VE BEEN SO BUSY WITH ALL MY... BLAH BLAH BLAH BLAH BLAH BLAH...
CHARLIE! SHE WANTS AN ...ALLIGATOR! ??
I HEARD HER!


BUT SHUCKS...WHEN I WAS A LITTLE CHICK I WANTED AN ELEPHANT WITH PINK TOES!
BUT SHE WAS SERIOUS! WHY ON EARTH DOES SHE WANT AN ALLIGATOR, CHARLIE...THAT'S WHAT I'M GOING TO ASK HER!

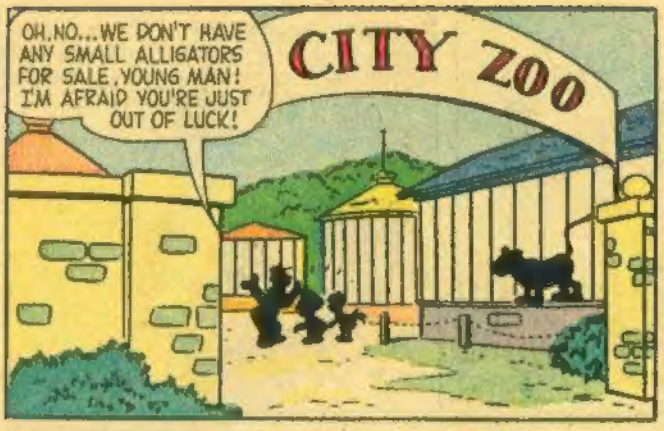

ONE HOUR LATER...
AND BLAH BLAH BLAH BLAH...YOU KNOW HOW GERTIE IS...SO BLAH BLAH BLAH...
OH, BROTHER! IF YOU'RE GOING TO WAIT TILL SHE GETS OFF THAT PHONE, PAL...WE'RE LIABLE TO BE HERE THE REST OF OUR LIVES! COME ON!


WELL...SHE DID SAY AN ALLIGATOR, AND THOSE ARE SOME KIND OF AQUARIUM TANKS IN THERE! SO...
SURE, PAL! SOME FOLKS HAVE LITTLE TURTLES AND SNAILS IN WITH THEIR FISH! MIRANDA JUST WANTS TO BE DIFFERENT!


MAYBE SHE'S GOING TO RAISE ALLIGATORS FOR HER HOBBY! NATURALLY SHE JUST WANTS A SMALLISH ONE FOR A STARTER!
WELL, SHE SAID IT... THAT'S WHAT SHE SAID! I GUESS THERE'S NO USE WAITING AROUND ANY LONGER!

BLAH BLAH BLAH BLAH BLAH...
I'LL JUST LEAVE A NOTE FOR HER...TO LET HER KNOW I'LL DO MY BEST!
OH, YOU CAN PROBABLY GET LITTLE ALLIGATORS AT ANY PET STORE!

BUT NO SUCH LUCK...
AT ONE PET STORE AFTER ANOTHER...
ALLIGATORS? OH, NO! WE DON'T HAVE MUCH CALL FOR THEM! YOU'D BETTER TRY THE ZOO!

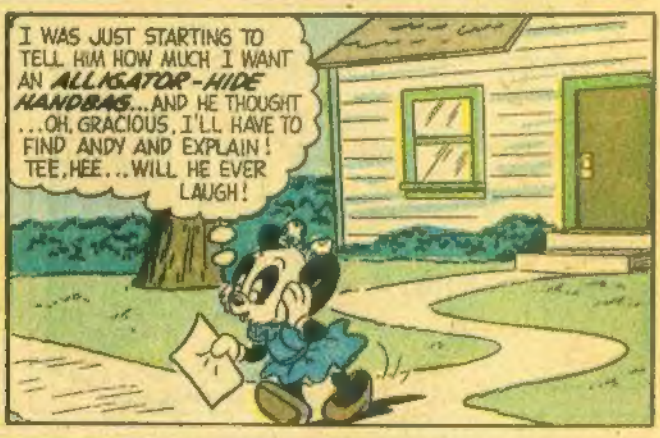

CITY ZOO
OH, NO...WE DON'T HAVE ANY SMALL ALLIGATORS FOR SALE, YOUNG MAN! I'M AFRAID YOU'RE JUST OUT OF LUCK!

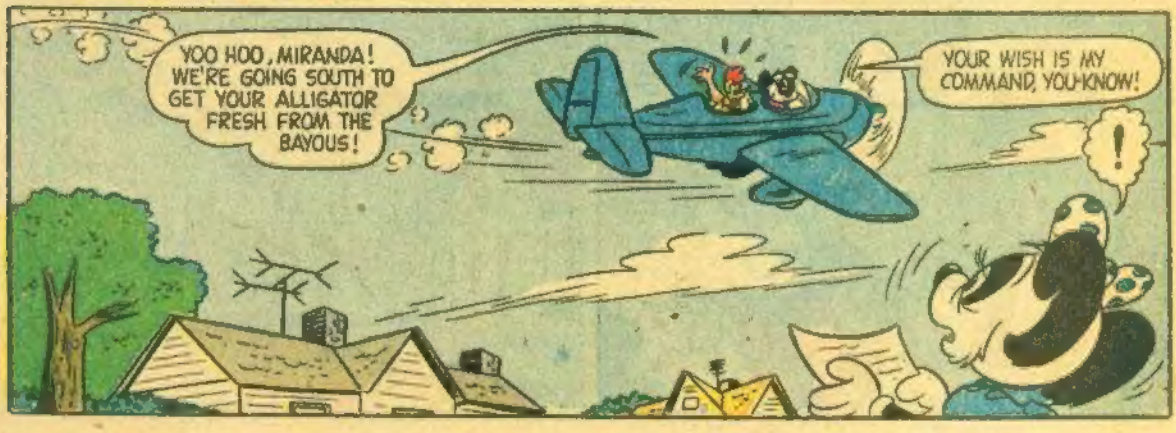
JEEPERS! I THOUGHT IT WOULD BE EASY! I PRACTICALLY PROMISED HER POSITIVELY I'D GET HER ONE! I HAVE TO DO IT NOW!
ANDY! WHAT ABOUT YOUR NEW PLANE? WE COULD FLY RIGHT DOWN TO WHERE ALLIGATORS LIVE ...AND GET ONE FOR SURE!

SAY! WE COULD AT THAT! MY PLANE IS ALL GASSED UP AND I DO NEED TO GET IN SOME MORE FLYING TIME!
THEN IT'S BAYOU COUNTRY. HERE WE COME!

MEANWHILE, MIRANDA IS FINALLY RUNNING OUT OF WIND ..
...AND RAISING TROPICAL FISH IS GOING TO BE MY NEW HOBBY... BLAH BLAH...I'M GETTING MY AQUARIUM TANKS READY SO I MUST HANG UP NOW, ESMERELDA! GOOD-BY!

WHAT ? ANDY'S GONE TO GET ME THE ALLIGATOR I WANT FOR MY BIRTHDAY!? OH, MERCY SAKES...THAT'S RIGHT, WE WERE INTERRUPTED WHEN...


I WAS JUST STARTING TO TELL HIM HOW MUCH I WANT AN ALLIGATOR-HIDE HANDBAG...AND HE THOUGHT ...OH, GRACIOUS, I'LL HAVE TO FIND ANDY AND EXPLAIN! TEE, HEE...WILL HE EVER LAUGH!


YOO HOO, MIRANDA! WE'RE GOING SOUTH TO GET YOUR ALLIGATOR FRESH FROM THE BAYOUS!
YOUR WISH IS MY COMMAND, YOU-KNOW!
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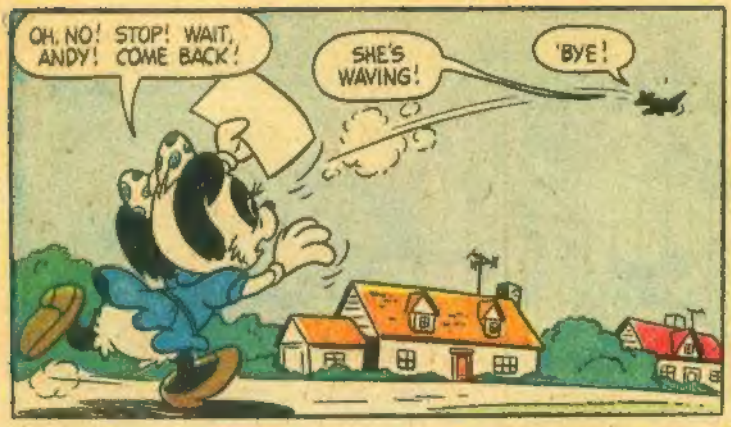
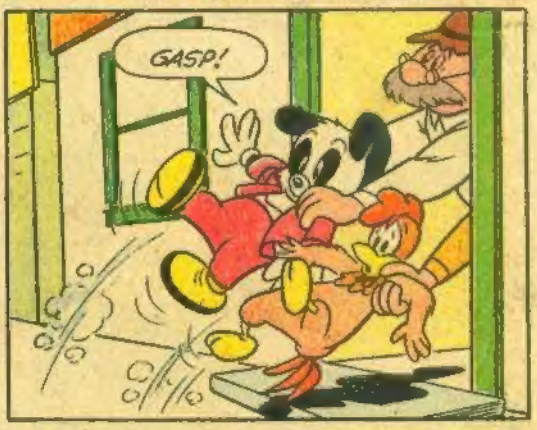

OH, NO! STOP! WAIT, ANDY! COME BACK!
SHE'S WAVING!
'BYE!

OH, DEAR! (GULP!) WELL, AT LEAST I HOPE HE'LL LAUGH...WHEN I EXPLAIN!

HOURS LATER... OVER THE GREAT OKEEPANOOTCHEE SWAMP...
BOY! THIS IS SURE GATOR COUNTRY, ANDY! LOOK AT 'EM ALL!
SAY! THAT LOOKS LIKE A TOWN OVER THERE ON THE EDGE OF THE SWAMP! AND A FIELD...

BIG ENOUGH FOR A LANDING... I HOPE!
YEP! IT'S A TOWN, ALL RIGHT!
FISHING TACKLE
FEED

WELL... A SORT OF TOWN, ANYWAY... BUT WHERE IS EVERYBODY?
HELLO! HAS ANYBODY GOT A SMALL ALLIGATOR THEY WANT TO GET RID OF?
GENERAL STORE
CITY HALL


GASP!

OW! HEY! LEGGO! WE'RE FRIENDS!
WE'RE JUST HERE TO GET AN ALLIGATOR!
YOU'LL GET A HUNDRED OF THEM IF YOU DON'T WATCH OUT!

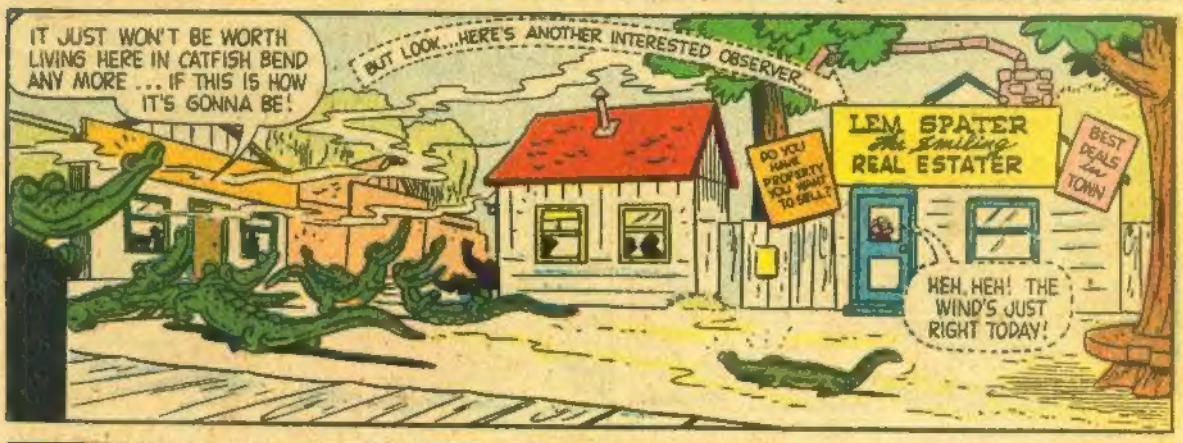
HERE IN CATFISH BEND NO ONE VENTURES OUTSIDE THIS TIME OF DAY! NOT ANY MORE!
IT'S ALMOST TIME FOR THE SWAMP 'GATORS TO COME PROWLING AGAIN!
CATFISH BEND

PROWLING?
PROWLING! FROLICKING! WHO CARES WHAT YOU CALL IT... HERE THEY COME!

OH, GOLLY! WHAT ARE THEY AFTER? THEIR NEXT M-MEAL?
WE DUNNO! SO FAR, THEY HAVEN'T CAUGHT ANYBODY, BUT THEY STILL KEEP COMING... EVERY DAY!
CITY HALL
SNIFF!
SNIFF!

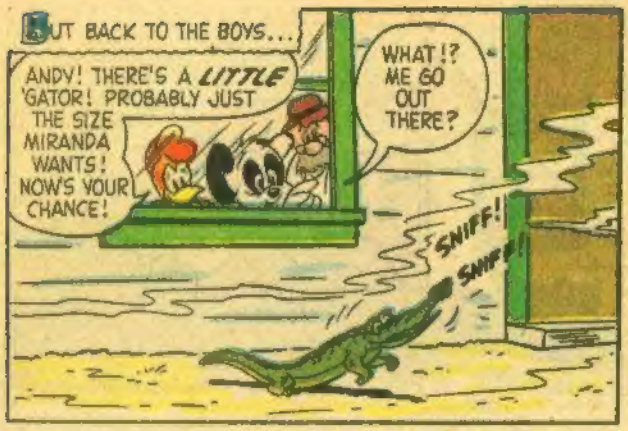
WE DON'T DARE TO TRY GUNNING 'EM! THERE ARE JUST TOO MANY TO RISK GETTIN' 'EM RILED UP!
GOSH! BUT THEY'RE ACTING MORE LIKE A BUNCH OF PLAYFUL KITTENS NOW!

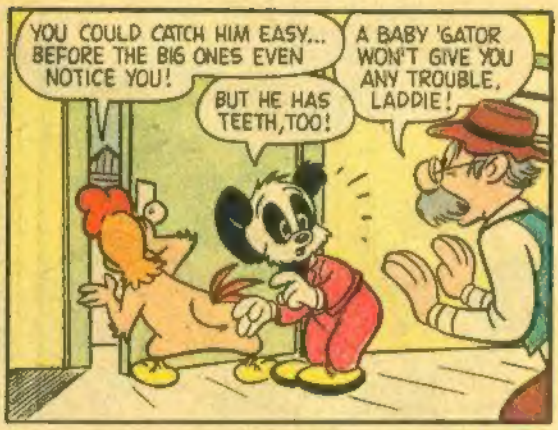
WELL, YOU WON'T CATCH ME PLAYING WITH 'EM! THEY'RE TRICKY!
ME NEITHER! THERE'S SOMETHING MIGHTY PECULIAR ABOUT 'GATORS ACTING THATAWAY!
IT'S AS IF THEY WERE BEWITCHED! MEBBE OUR TOWN'S BEEN HEXED BY AN EVIL SPIRIT!
CITY HALL


IT JUST WON'T BE WORTH LIVING HERE IN CATFISH BEND ANY MORE ... IF THIS IS HOW IT'S GONNA BE!
BUT LOOK... HERE'S ANOTHER INTERESTED OBSERVER...
DO YOU HAVE PROPERTY YOU WANT TO SELL?
LEM SPATER The Smiling REAL ESTATER
BEST DEALS IN TOWN
HEH, HEH! THE WIND'S JUST RIGHT TODAY!

THEY STILL CAN'T FIGGER WHAT'S DRAWING THE CRITTERS INTO TOWN EVERY DAY! HEEHEE! IT WAS A LUCKY DAY WHEN I DISCOVERED HOW TO STEW UP THESE ALLIGATOR-CATNIP VAPORS!

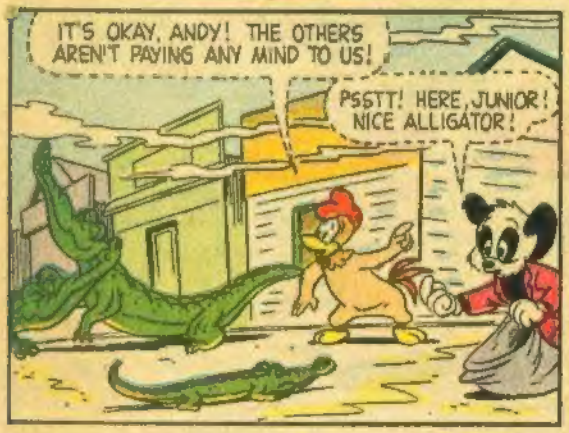
DO YOU HAVE PROPERTY YOU WANT TO SELL?
LEM SPATER The Smiling REAL ESTATER
BEST DEALS IN TOWN
BY JINGO! IT NEVER FAILS! IT DRAWS THOSE 'GATORS JUST LIKE REGULAR CATNIP GETS THE KITTENS!

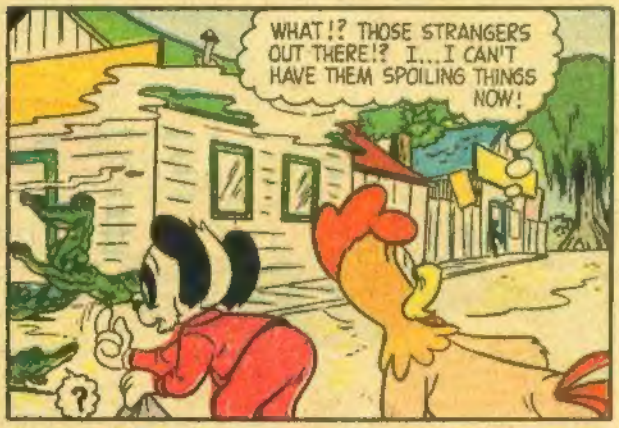

BUT BACK TO THE BOYS...
ANDY! THERE'S A LITTLE 'GATOR! PROBABLY JUST THE SIZE MIRANDA WANTS! NOW'S YOUR CHANCE!
WHAT!? ME GO OUT THERE?
SNIFF!
SNIFF!


YOU COULD CATCH HIM EASY... BEFORE THE BIG ONES EVEN NOTICE YOU!
BUT HE HAS TEETH, TOO!
A BABY 'GATOR WON'T GIVE YOU ANY TROUBLE, LADDIE!

OH, BUT I WOULDN'T THINK OF TAKING HIM AWAY FROM HIS MAMA!
AW! WHEN 'GATORS GET HIS AGE, THEY'RE ON THEIR OWN!
HERE, ANDY... YOU CAN USE THIS SACK!

COME ON! I'LL EVEN BE YOUR LOOKOUT!
WAIT! YOU FOLKS KEEP THE DOOR OPEN SO WE CAN GET BACK INSIDE ...QUICK!
OH, SURE!


IT'S OKAY, ANDY! THE OTHERS AREN'T PAYING ANY MIND TO US!
PSSTT! HERE, JUNIOR! NICE ALLIGATOR!


WHAT!? THOSE STRANGERS OUT THERE!? I...I CAN'T HAVE THEM SPOILING THINGS NOW!
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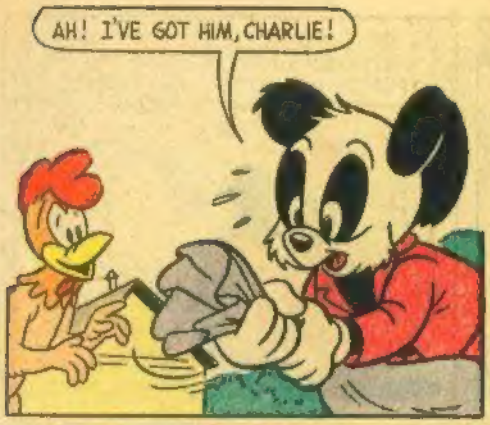
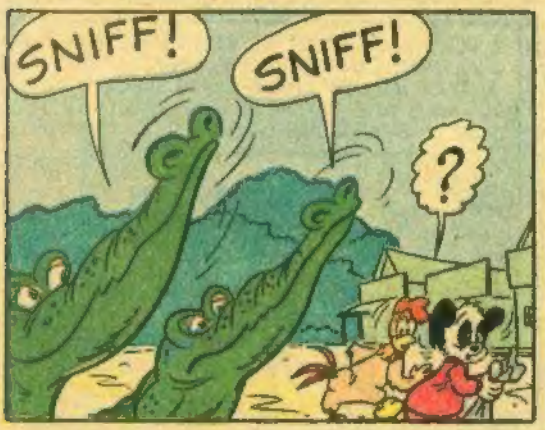
IF THEY'RE GOING TO GET SO BOLD WITH THE 'GATORS, IT'S TIME TO CLOSE THE DAMPER AND CUT OFF THE FRIENDLY STEW!
CLANK!

CLINK!
AND IF I KNOW THOSE ORNERY CRITTERS...IT WON'T BE MORE THAN TWO SNIFFS BEFORE THEY'RE BACK TO NORMAL!
PROPERTY YOU WANT TO SELL?


AH! I'VE GOT HIM, CHARLIE!

AND LOOK... THE OTHERS DON'T MIND IN THE LEAST!
(SNIFF?) FUNNY... I WAS GETTING A WHIFF OF SOMETHING FOR AWHILE THERE... BUT IT'S SORTA GONE NOW!
SNIFF!
SNIFF!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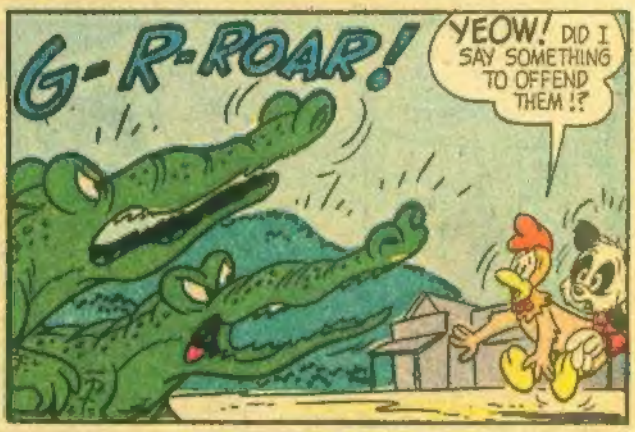
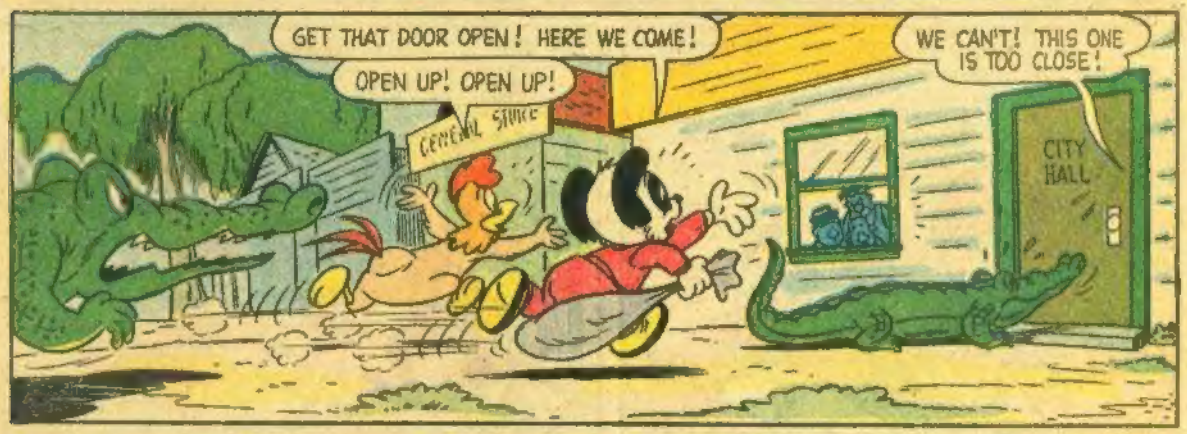
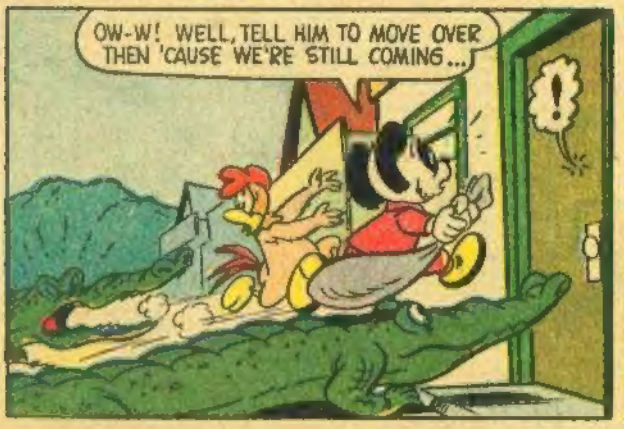

G-R-ROAR!
YEOW! DID I SAY SOMETHING TO OFFEND THEM!?


GET THAT DOOR OPEN! HERE WE COME!
OPEN UP! OPEN UP!
GENERAL STORE
WE CAN'T! THIS ONE IS TOO CLOSE!
CITY HALL


OW-W! WELL, TELL HIM TO MOVE OVER THEN 'CAUSE WE'RE STILL COMING...
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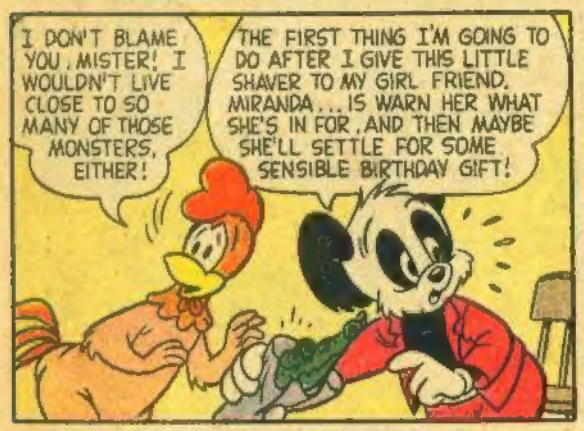
THROUGH!
SNAP!
BLAM!

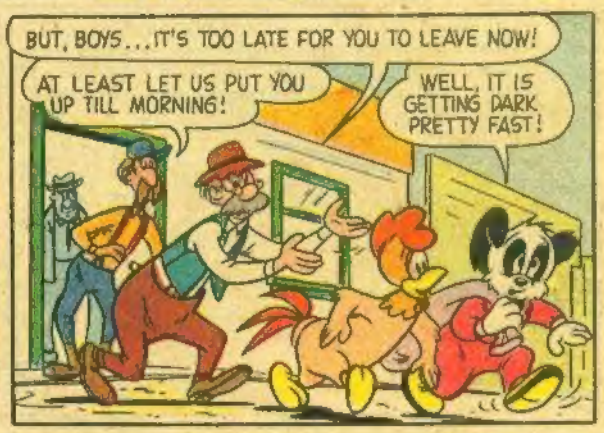
SCAT! SHOO! GO BACK TO THE SWAMP, YOU VARMINTS!
SNAP!
SNAP!

COME OUT OF IT, ANDY! THEY'RE GOING! THEY'RE PRACTICALLY GONE!

O-O-OH, THAT'S A RELIEF! I GET COLD SHIVERS EVERY TIME I THINK OF ALL THOSE TEETH!
ME, TOO! THIS IS THE LAST STRAW! I KNEW THOSE CRITTERS WERE KILLERS!

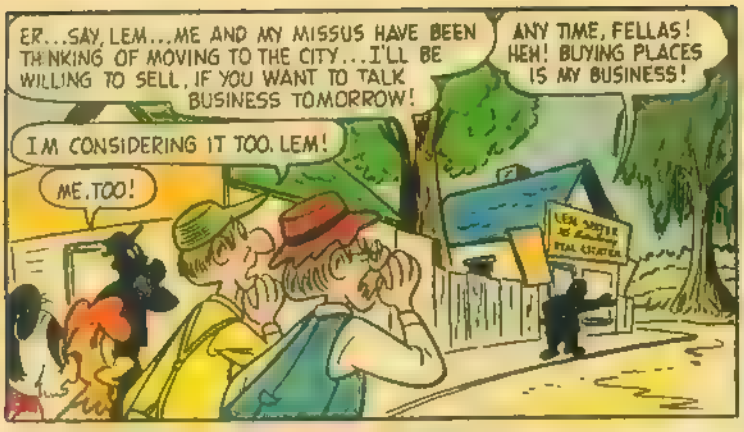
I DON'T KNOW ABOUT THE REST OF YOU, BUT I'VE HAD ENOUGH 'GATORS TO LAST ME THE REST OF MY DAYS! I'M GOING TO SELL OUT TO LEM SPATER BEFORE HE GETS SMART AND QUITS BUYING LAND HEREABOUTS!

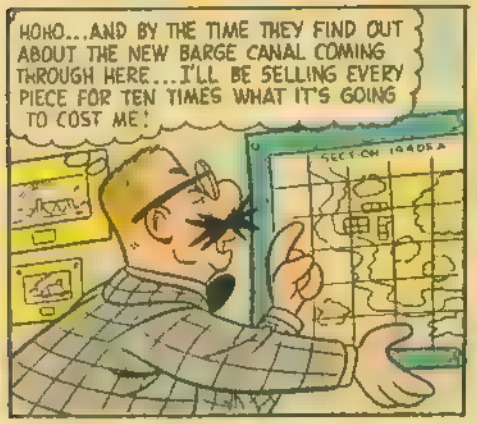

I DON'T BLAME YOU, MISTER! I WOULDN'T LIVE CLOSE TO SO MANY OF THOSE MONSTERS, EITHER!
THE FIRST THING I'M GOING TO DO AFTER I GIVE THIS LITTLE SHAVER TO MY GIRL FRIEND, MIRANDA... IS WARN HER WHAT SHE'S IN FOR, AND THEN MAYBE SHE'LL SETTLE FOR SOME SENSIBLE BIRTHDAY GIFT!


BUT, BOYS... IT'S TOO LATE FOR YOU TO LEAVE NOW!
AT LEAST LET US PUT YOU UP TILL MORNING!
WELL, IT IS GETTING DARK PRETTY FAST!

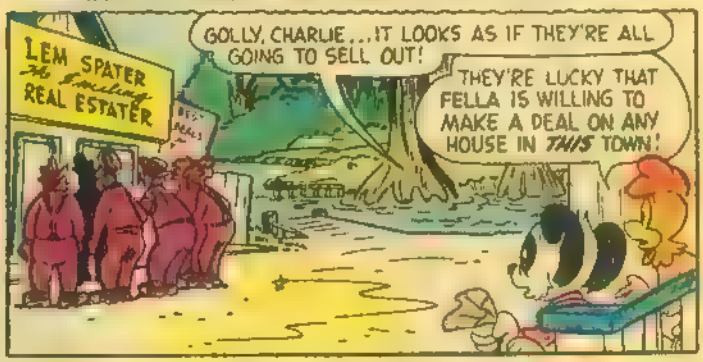
AND MY PLANE IS PARKED PRETTY NEAR THE SWAMP... HEH... MAYBE MORNING WOULD BE A BETTER TIME!

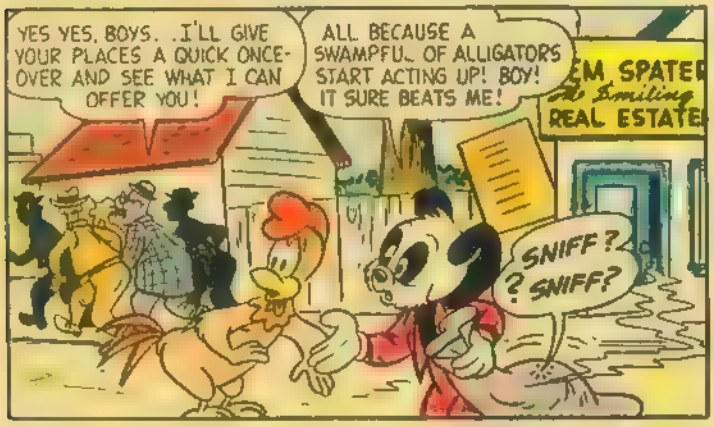
GOOD EVENING, FOLKS! IT SURE HAS BEEN A PRETTY DAY, HASN'T IT? HEH... IF YOU DON'T MIND A FEW ALLIGATORS!
!
A *FEW* DID HE SAY?

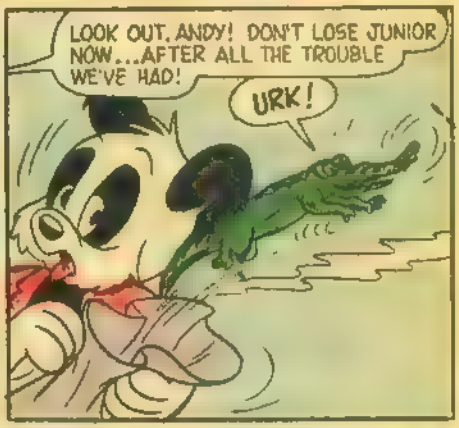


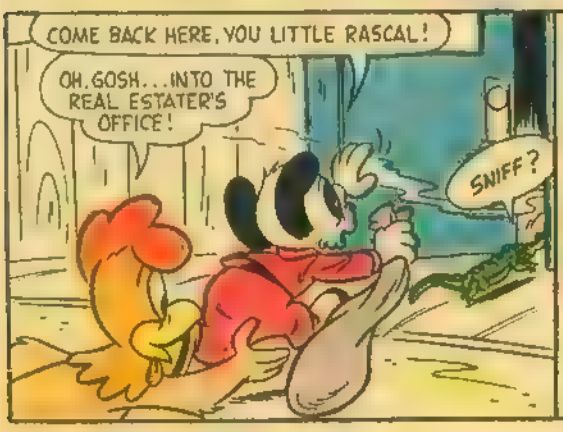


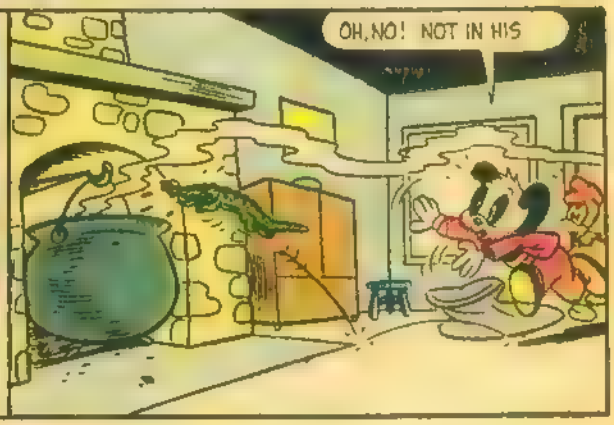
AND IN THE BRIGHT MORNING, FATE STILL SEEMS TO OFFER NOTHING THAT WILL THWART THIS RASCAL'S ARTFUL PLAN!

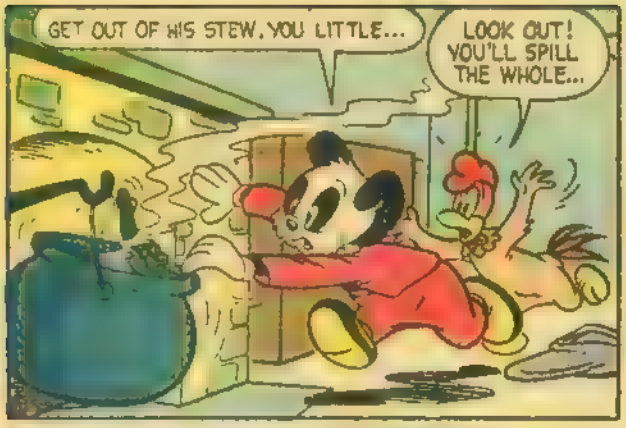


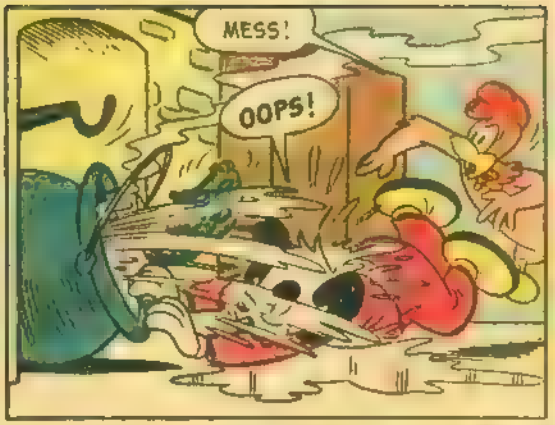


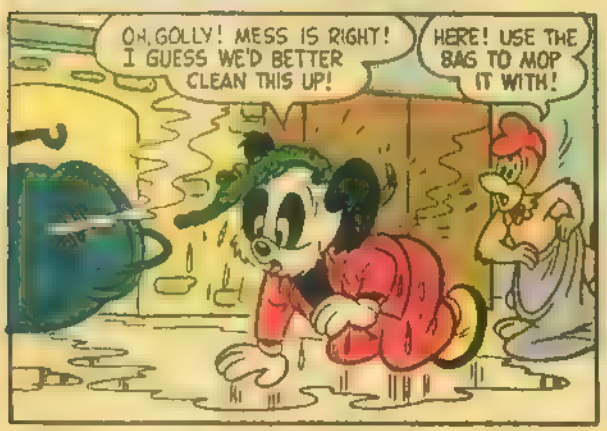


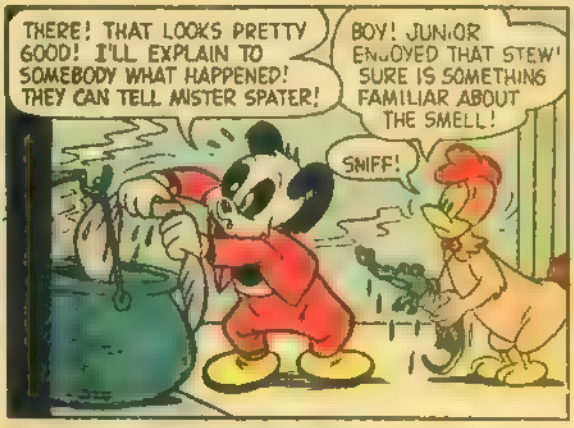


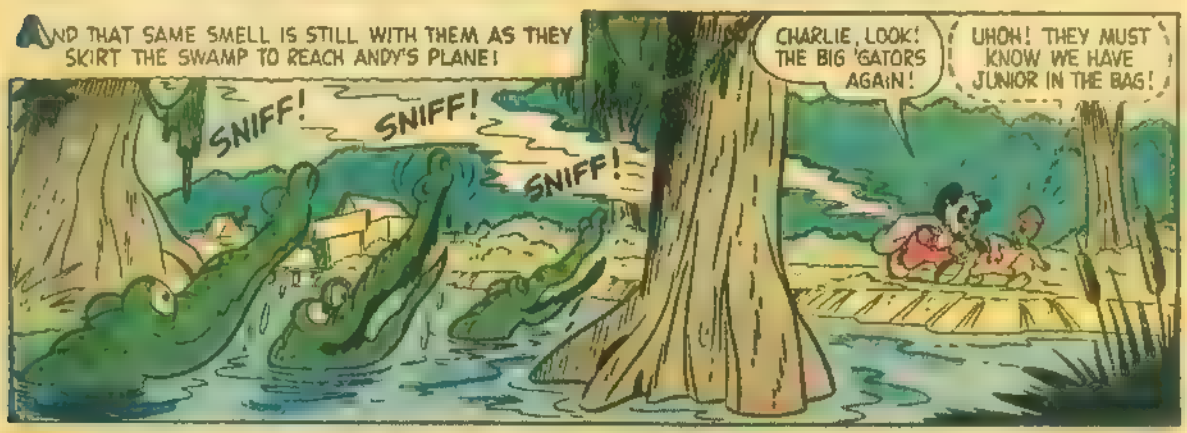



GET OUT OF HIS STEW, YOU LITTLE...
LOOK OUT! YOU'LL SPILL THE WHOLE...


MESS!
OOPS!


OH, GOLLY! MESS IS RIGHT! I GUESS WE'D BETTER CLEAN THIS UP!
HERE! USE THE BAG TO MOP IT WITH!


THERE! THAT LOOKS PRETTY GOOD! I'LL EXPLAIN TO SOMEBODY WHAT HAPPENED! THEY CAN TELL MISTER SPATER!
BOY! JUNIOR ENJOYED THAT STEW! SURE IS SOMETHING FAMILIAR ABOUT THE SMELL!
SNIFF!


AND THAT SAME SMELL IS STILL WITH THEM AS THEY SKIRT THE SWAMP TO REACH ANDY'S PLANE!
SNIFF!
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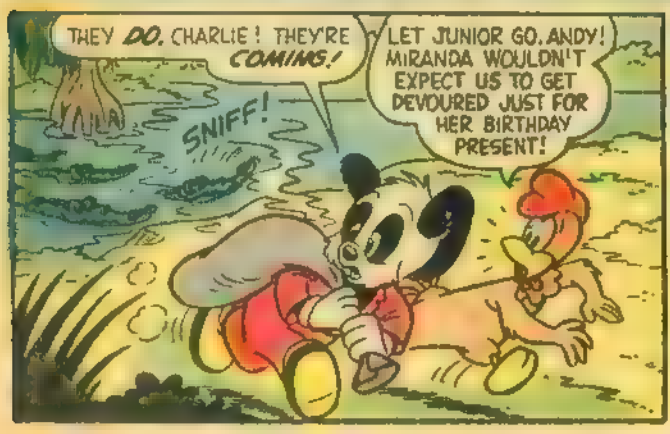
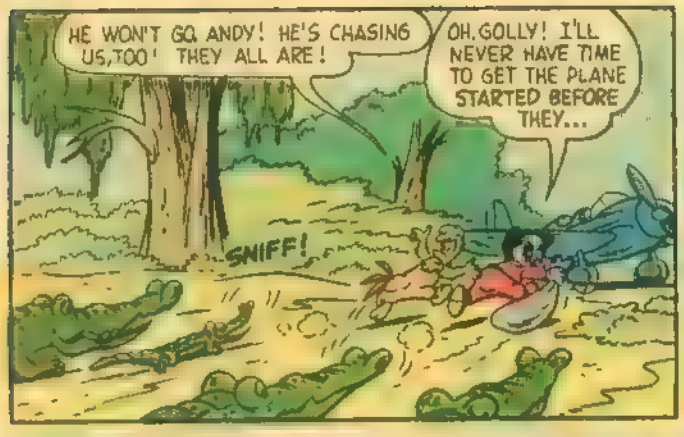
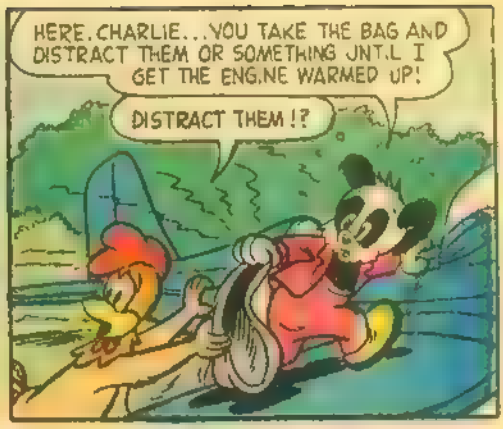
CHARLIE, LOOK! THE BIG 'GATORS AGAIN!
UHOH! THEY MUST KNOW WE HAVE JUNIOR IN THE BAG!

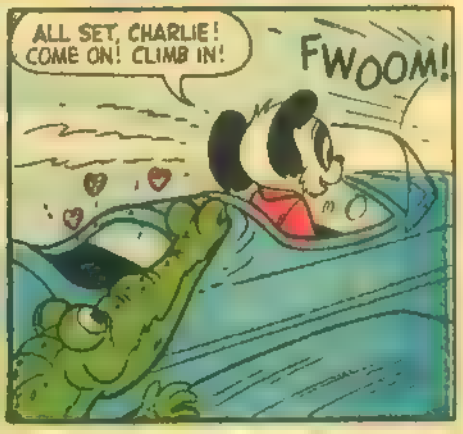

THEY DO, CHARLIE! THEY'RE COMING!
SNIFF!
LET JUNIOR GO, ANDY! MIRANDA WOULDN'T EXPECT US TO GET DEVOURED JUST FOR HER BIRTHDAY PRESENT!

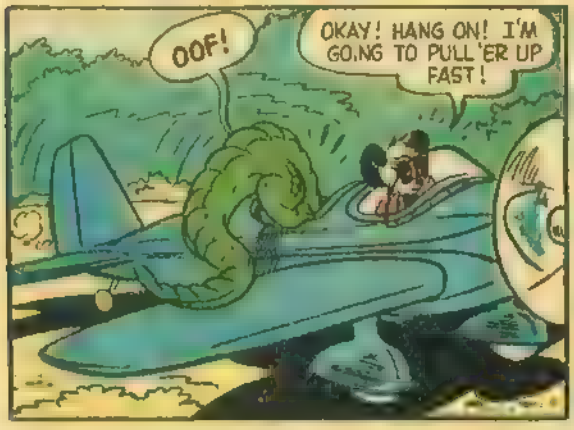
THERE! GO BACK TO YOUR FRIENDS, JUNIOR! WE DON'T WANT THEM MAD AT US! YOU'RE NOT WORTH IT!

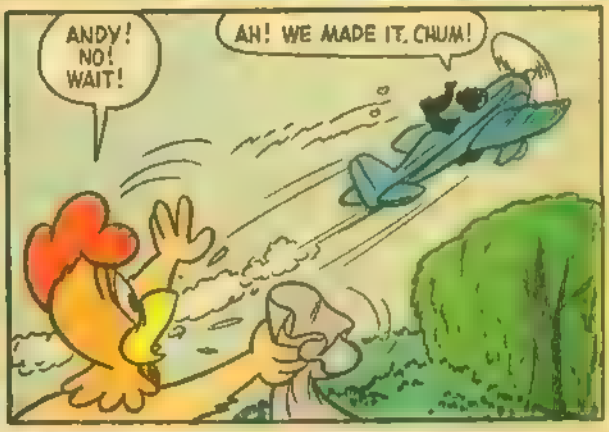

HE WON'T GO ANDY! HE'S CHASING US,TOO! THEY ALL ARE!
OH,GOLLY! I'LL NEVER HAVE TIME TO GET THE PLANE STARTED BEFORE THEY...
SNIFF!

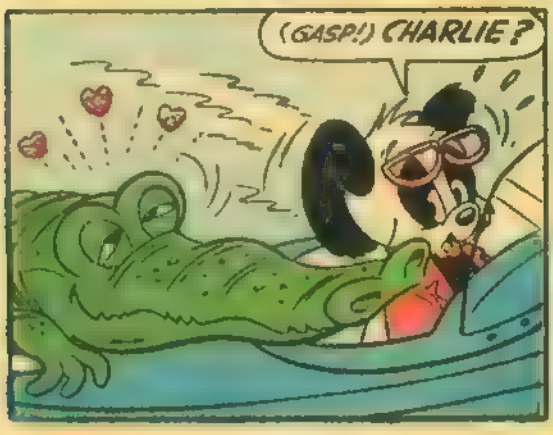

HERE,CHARLIE...YOU TAKE THE BAG AND DISTRACT THEM OR SOMETHING UNTIL I GET THE ENGINE WARMED UP!
DISTRACT THEM!?

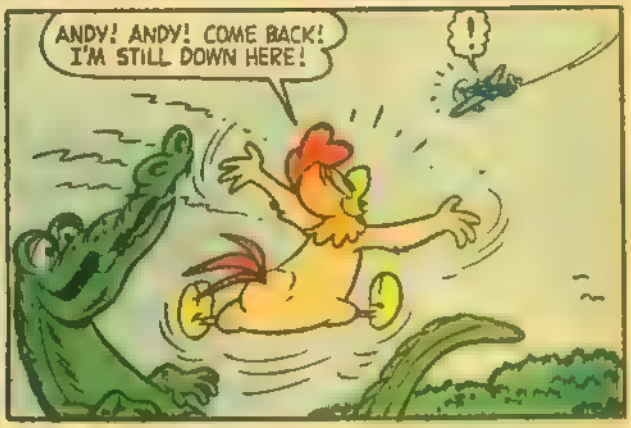
YI-I! AND SOME PEOPLE THINK BULLFIGHTERS HAVE IT TOUGH!
R-R-ROOMF!
COUGH!
COUGH!
SNIFF!


ALL SET, CHARLIE! COME ON! CLIMB IN!
FWOOM!


OOF!
OKAY! HANG ON! I'M GOING TO PULL 'ER UP FAST!


ANDY! NO! WAIT!
AH! WE MADE IT, CHUM!


(GASP!) CHARLIE?


ANDY! ANDY! COME BACK! I'M STILL DOWN HERE!
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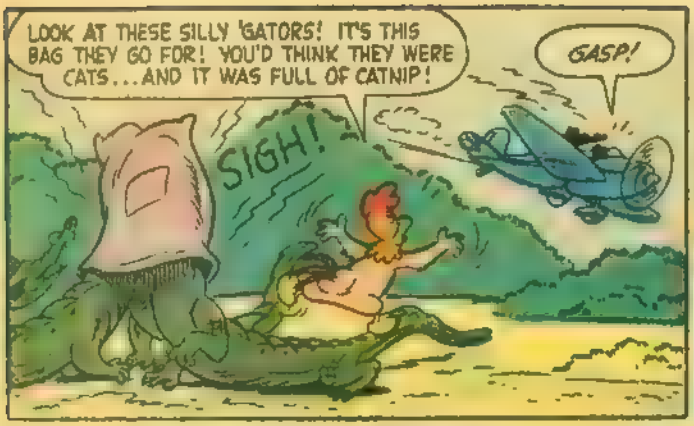
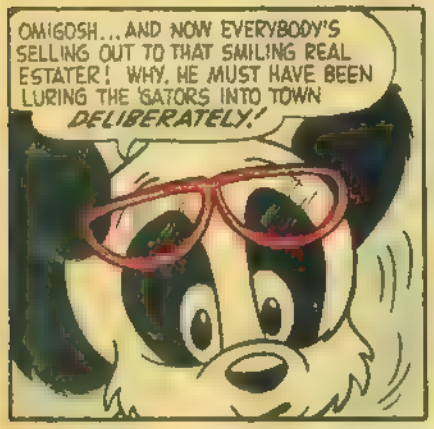
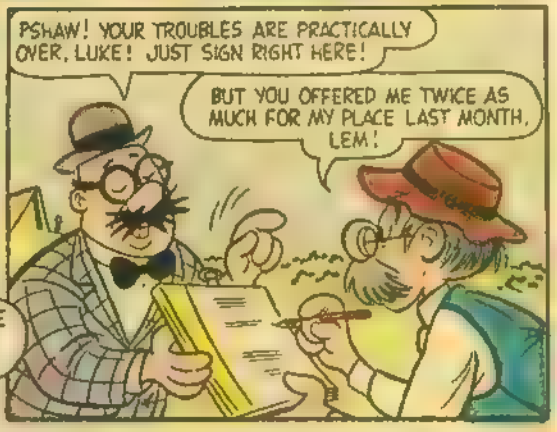

LOOK AT THESE SILLY 'GATORS! IT'S THIS BAG THEY GO FOR! YOU'D THINK THEY WERE CATS...AND IT WAS FULL OF CATNIP!
SIGH!
GASP!

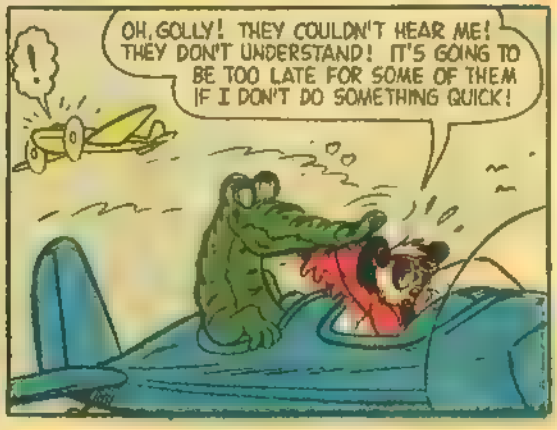
THAT STEW! SOME OF IT GOT ON MY COAT, TOO! THAT'S IT! THE STRANGE SMELL! IT MUST HAVE BEEN WHAT WAS DRAWING THESE MONSTERS INTO TOWN!
MUNCH! MUNCH!


OMIGOSH...AND NOW EVERYBODY'S SELLING OUT TO THAT SMILING REAL ESTATER! WHY, HE MUST HAVE BEEN LURING THE 'GATORS INTO TOWN DELIBERATELY!

STOP! STOP! DON'T SIGN ANYTHING! HE TRICKED YOU!
?
?

JUST WAIT TILL I GET DOWN I'LL EXPLAIN EVERYTHING!
LOOK AT THAT SILLY FOOL... STUNTING WITH A 'GATOR, AND RIGHT OVERHEAD! ENDANGERING FOLKS LIVES!
BUT IT SOUNDED LIKE HE SAID...
(MOAN!) AS IF WE HAVEN'T BEEN THROUGH ENOUGH ALREADY!


PSHAW! YOUR TROUBLES ARE PRACTICALLY OVER, LUKE! JUST SIGN RIGHT HERE!
BUT YOU OFFERED ME TWICE AS MUCH FOR MY PLACE LAST MONTH, LEM!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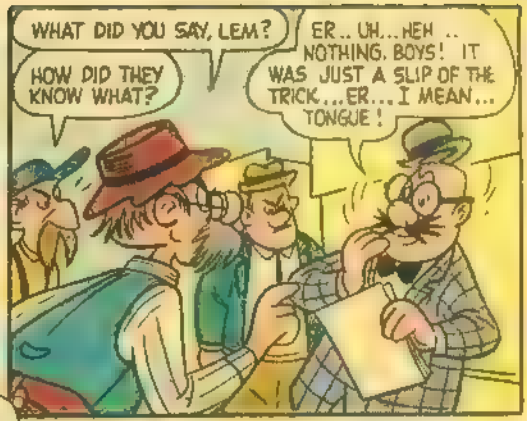
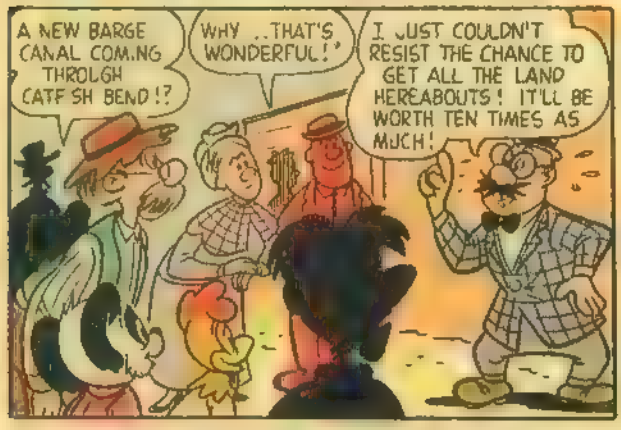
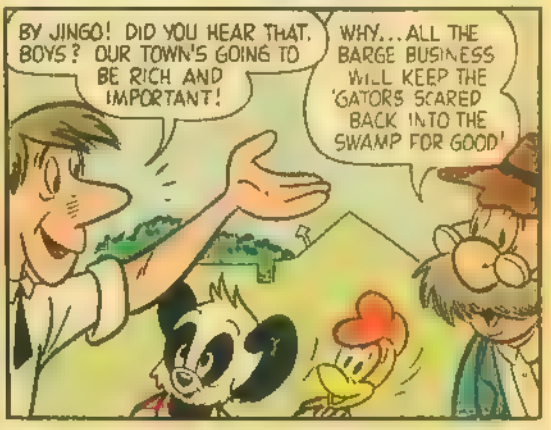
OH, GOLLY! THEY COULDN'T HEAR ME! THEY DON'T UNDERSTAND! IT'S GOING TO BE TOO LATE FOR SOME OF THEM IF I DON'T DO SOMETHING QUICK!

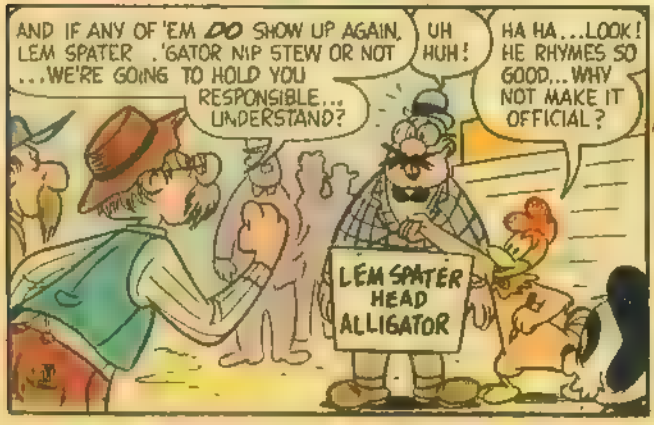
Don't Sell you We're tricked!
WAIT, LUKE! LOOK!
WHAT? HOW DID THEY KNOW?

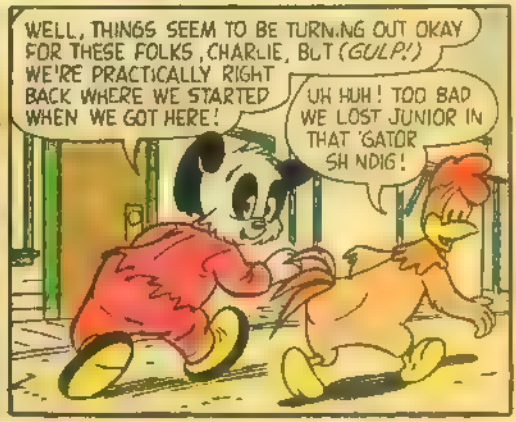

WHAT DID YOU SAY, LEM?
HOW DID THEY KNOW WHAT?
ER.. UH... HEH .. NOTHING, BOYS! IT WAS JUST A SLIP OF THE TRICK... ER... I MEAN... TONGUE!

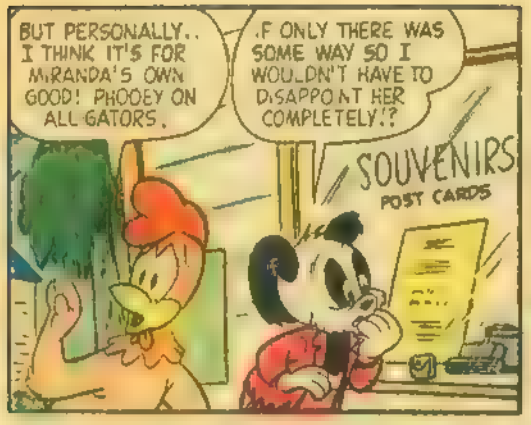
BUT MINUTES LATER... AFTER ANDY LANDS AGAIN...
YES, YES! I DID IT! BUT ONLY BECAUSE I JUST ACCIDENTALLY DISCOVERED HOW TO MAKE THE 'GATOR-NIP STEW... AND THEN I HEARD ABOUT THE NEW BARGE CANAL COMING THROUGH HERE AND..
CATFISH BEND

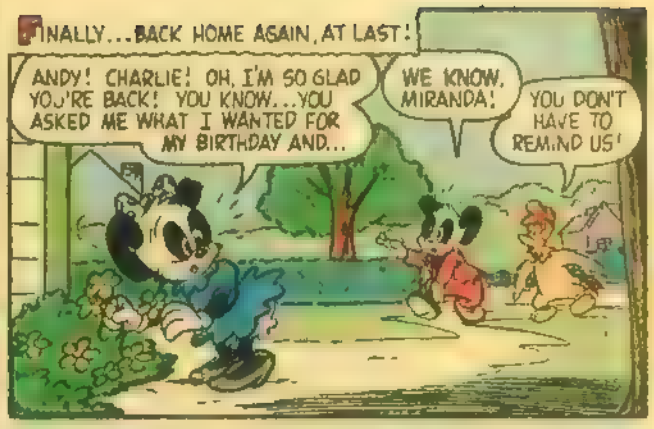

A NEW BARGE CANAL COMING THROUGH CATFISH BEND!?
WHY ..THAT'S WONDERFUL!'
I JUST COULDN'T RESIST THE CHANCE TO GET ALL THE LAND HEREABOUTS! IT'LL BE WORTH TEN TIMES AS MUCH!

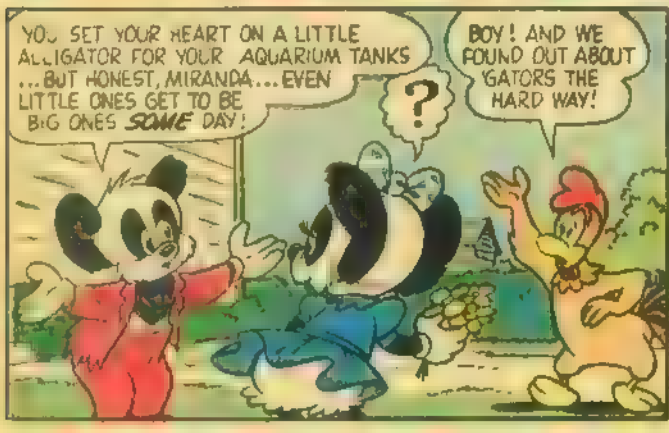

BY JINGO! DID YOU HEAR THAT, BOYS? OUR TOWN'S GOING TO BE RICH AND IMPORTANT!
WHY... ALL THE BARGE BUSINESS WILL KEEP THE 'GATORS SCARED BACK INTO THE SWAMP FOR GOOD!


AND IF ANY OF 'EM DO SHOW UP AGAIN, LEM SPATER . 'GATOR NIP STEW OR NOT ...WE'RE GOING TO HOLD YOU RESPONSIBLE... UNDERSTAND?
UH HUH!
HA HA... LOOK! HE RHYMES SO GOOD... WHY NOT MAKE IT OFFICIAL?
LEM SPATER HEAD ALLIGATOR


WELL, THINGS SEEM TO BE TURNING OUT OKAY FOR THESE FOLKS, CHARLIE, BUT (GULP!) WE'RE PRACTICALLY RIGHT BACK WHERE WE STARTED WHEN WE GOT HERE!
UH HUH! TOO BAD WE LOST JUNIOR IN THAT 'GATOR SHINDIG!


BUT PERSONALLY.. I THINK IT'S FOR MIRANDA'S OWN GOOD! PHOOEY ON ALLIGATORS.
IF ONLY THERE WAS SOME WAY SO I WOULDN'T HAVE TO DISAPPOINT HER COMPLETELY!?
SOUVENIRS
POST CARDS


FINALLY...BACK HOME AGAIN, AT LAST!
ANDY! CHARLIE! OH, I'M SO GLAD YOU'RE BACK! YOU KNOW...YOU ASKED ME WHAT I WANTED FOR MY BIRTHDAY AND...
WE KNOW, MIRANDA!
YOU DON'T HAVE TO REMIND US!


YOU SET YOUR HEART ON A LITTLE ALLIGATOR FOR YOUR AQUARIUM TANKS ...BUT HONEST, MIRANDA...EVEN LITTLE ONES GET TO BE BIG ONES SOME DAY!
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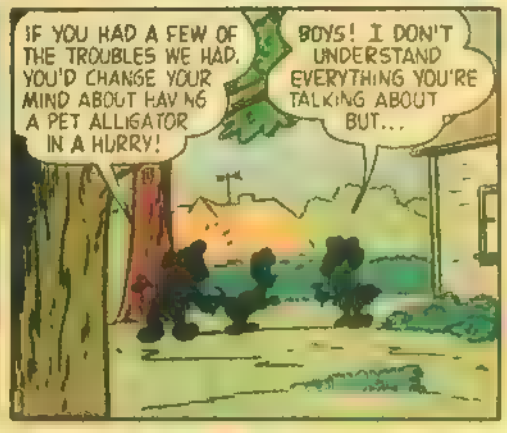
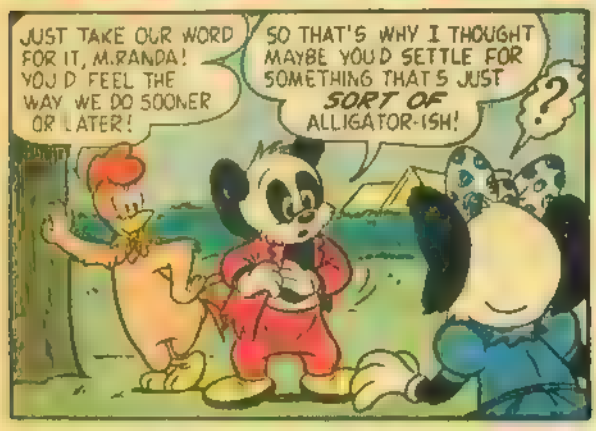
BOY! AND WE FOUND OUT ABOUT 'GATORS THE HARD WAY!


IF YOU HAD A FEW OF THE TROUBLES WE HAD, YOU'D CHANGE YOUR MIND ABOUT HAVING A PET ALLIGATOR IN A HURRY!
BOYS! I DON'T UNDERSTAND EVERYTHING YOU'RE TALKING ABOUT BUT...


JUST TAKE OUR WORD FOR IT, MIRANDA! YOU'D FEEL THE WAY WE DO SOONER OR LATER!
SO THAT'S WHY I THOUGHT MAYBE YOU'D SETTLE FOR SOMETHING THAT'S JUST SORT OF ALLIGATOR-ISH!
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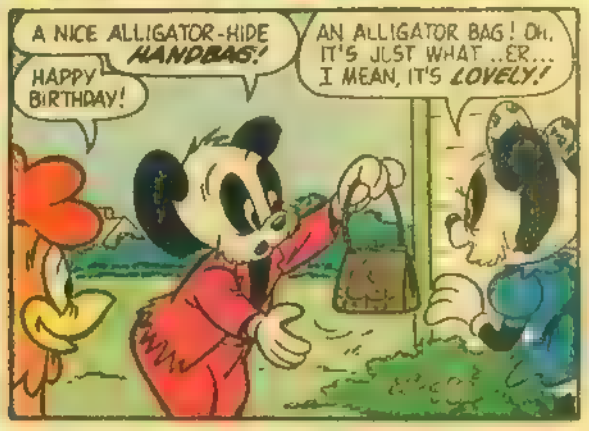
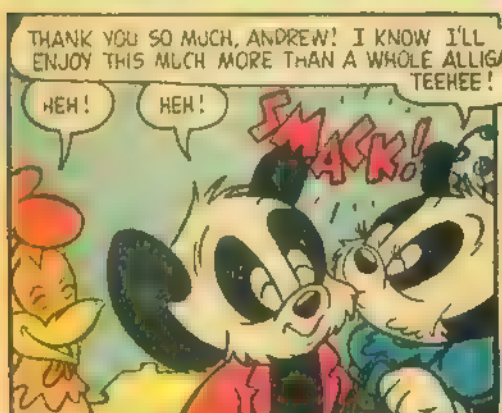
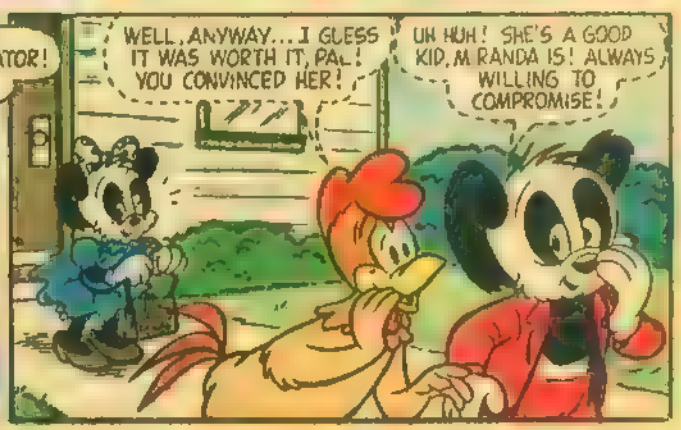
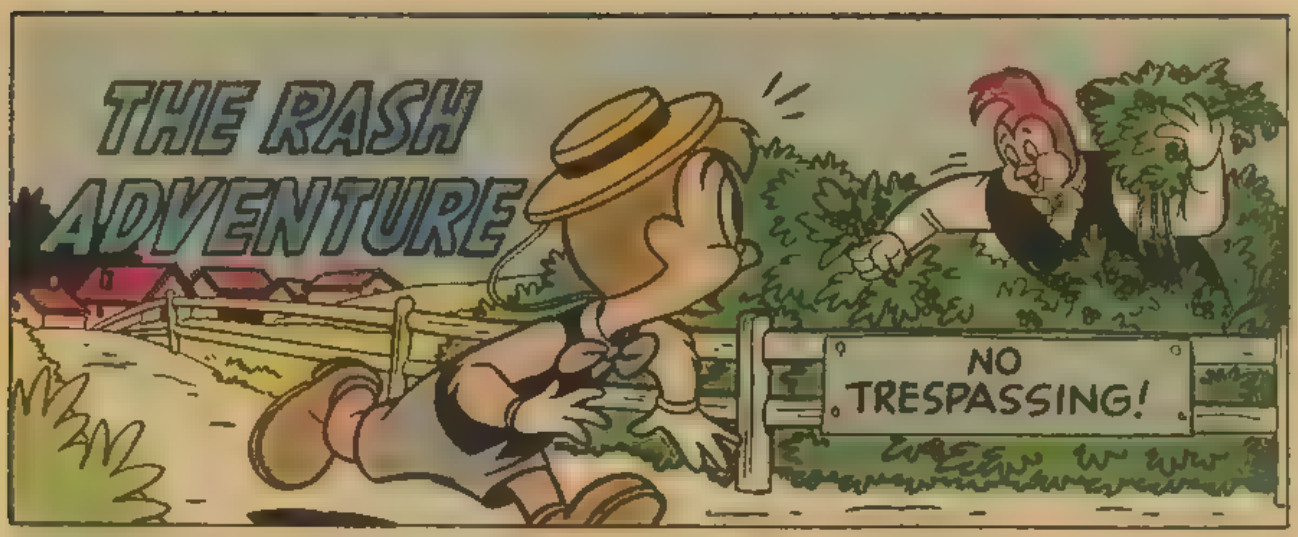

A NICE ALLIGATOR-HIDE HANDBAG!
HAPPY BIRTHDAY!
AN ALLIGATOR BAG! OH, IT'S JUST WHAT ..ER... I MEAN, IT'S LOVELY!


THANK YOU SO MUCH, ANDREW! I KNOW I'LL ENJOY THIS MUCH MORE THAN A WHOLE ALLIGATOR! TEEHEE!
HEH!
HEH!
SMACK!


WELL, ANYWAY... I GUESS IT WAS WORTH IT, PAL! YOU CONVINCED HER!
UH HUH! SHE'S A GOOD KID, MIRANDA IS! ALWAYS WILLING TO COMPROMISE!



"Oh, boys," lamented Carrie Pigeon as Homer Pigeon and Red Cardinal entered her new flower shop, "I've been asked to furnish the flowers for one of the biggest weddings in town, and I just discovered that I'm short of the green foliage I need to make up the proper floral arrangements."

"That's too bad, Carrie," replied Homer sympathetically. "Can't you order more?"

"I don't have time," moaned Carrie. "The wedding is tomorrow morning."

"Well, don't worry," exclaimed Homer brightly. "I know of an old abandoned farm, just out of town, where we can get all of the huckleberry branches you need."

"Wonderful!" responded Carrie happily. "I often use huckleberry greenery in floral arrangements."

"Ho, ho!" crowed Red, who had kept silent until now. "I'll get some greenery for you," he added, not to be outdone. "Not huckleberry bushes, though. It'll have small white berries and much bigger leaves. And I won't have to go out of town to get it."

"Now be careful, Red!" cautioned Carrie. "I wouldn't want you to do anything rash on my account!"

Red puffed his chest out grandiosely. "Not a chance!" he boasted.

"If I could get some by this evening," mused Carrie, "I could have everything ready by tomorrow morning."

"Then I won't waste time!" announced Homer. "I'll be back with the huckleberry branches as soon as possible!"

"Ha! Don't bother waiting for him!" scoffed Red. "I'll be back before you can wink your eye!"

Later, as Homer and Red reached the edge of town, Red suddenly said, "Well, this is where I stop. Ha, ha! Don't get lost in the huckleberry bushes!" With that, he spryly vaulted a fence that displayed a "No Trespassing" sign and quickly made for some bushes nearby.

"You'd better not go in there!" admonished Homer. "I don't think the owner will like it! Besides, those bushes look like . . ."

Before Homer could finish, Red was noisily crashing through the bushes, utterly ignoring the warning.

"I guess Red will have to learn the hard way," mused Homer as he hurried on to gather the huckleberry branches.

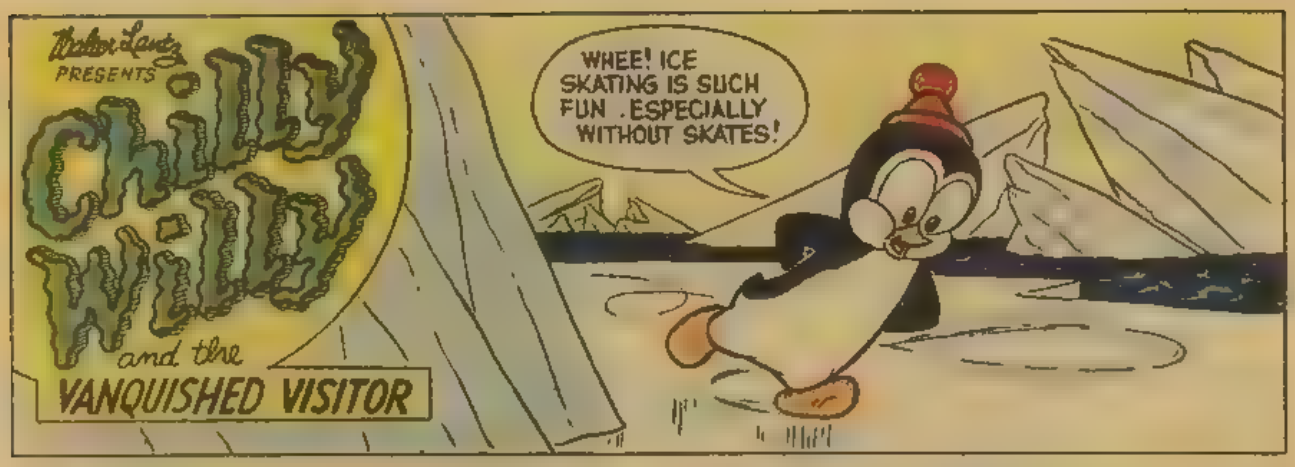
When Homer returned to the flower shop loaded down with green foliage, Carrie met him at the door.

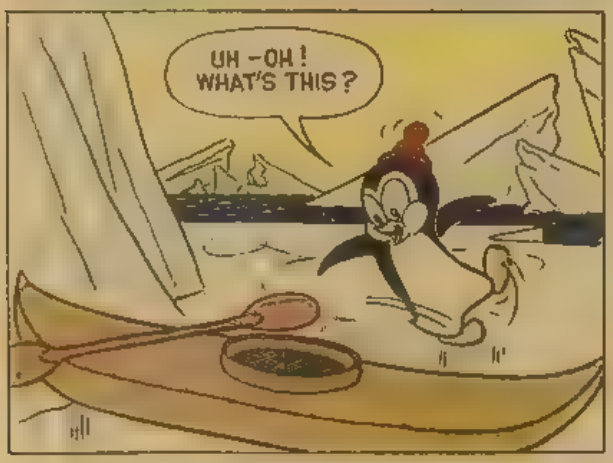
"Why, Homer, how wonderful!" she exclaimed joyfully. "Now I have all I'll need for the wedding! But what happened to Red?" she added. "He telephoned to say that he had a severe rash on his hands and arms!"

"Is that all he said?" asked Homer with a slight smile.

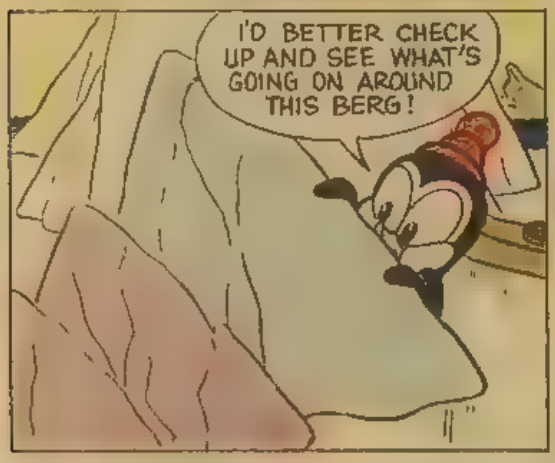
Carrie gave him a puzzled look and answered, "No, he also said that he learned two things today: one was that a "No Trespassing" sign is put up for a purpose, and the other is what poison ivy looks like!"

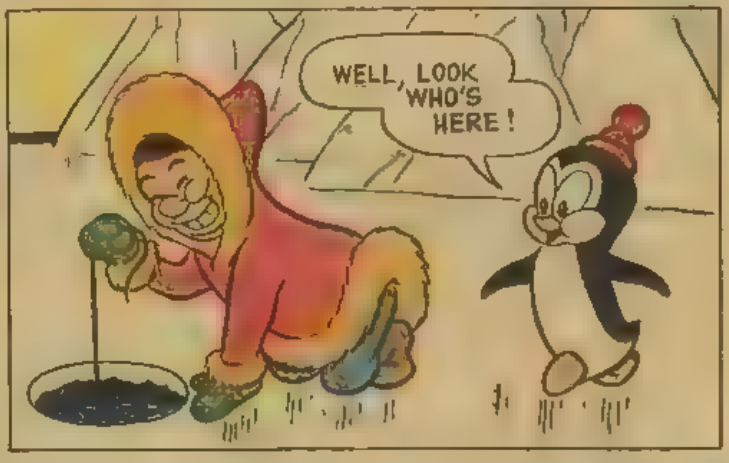
"He learned *three* things!" corrected Homer, shaking his head as he remembered Red crashing through the bushes that afternoon. "He learned what poison ivy *feels* like, too!"

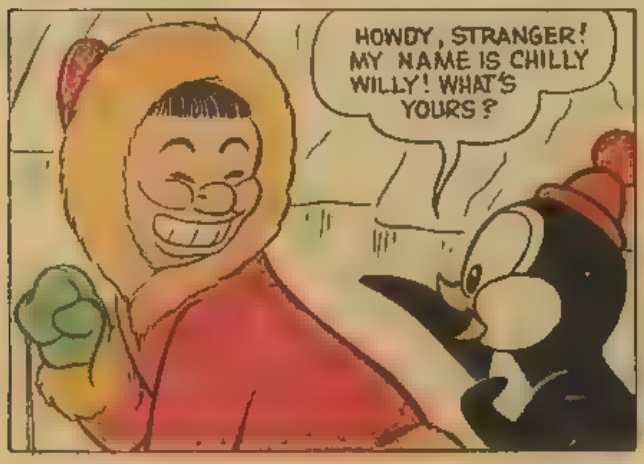

Walter Lantz PRESENTS
Chilly Willy
and the
VANQUISHED VISITOR
WHEE! ICE SKATING IS SUCH FUN . ESPECIALLY WITHOUT SKATES!

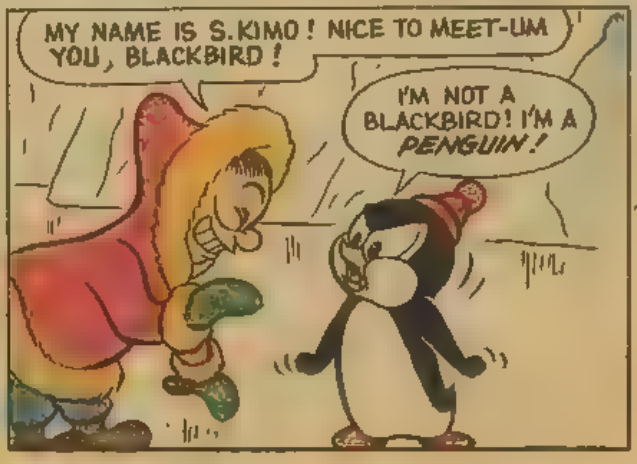

UH-OH! WHAT'S THIS?

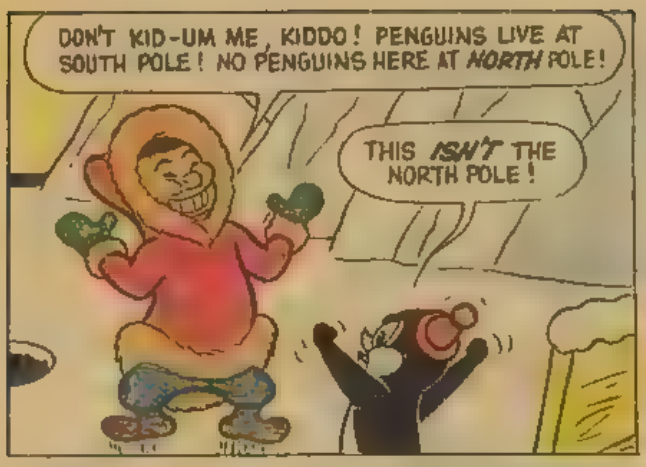
WHY, IT'S AN ESKIMO BOAT... A KAYAK!
BUT THERE ARE NO ESKIMOS HERE AT THE SOUTH POLE!

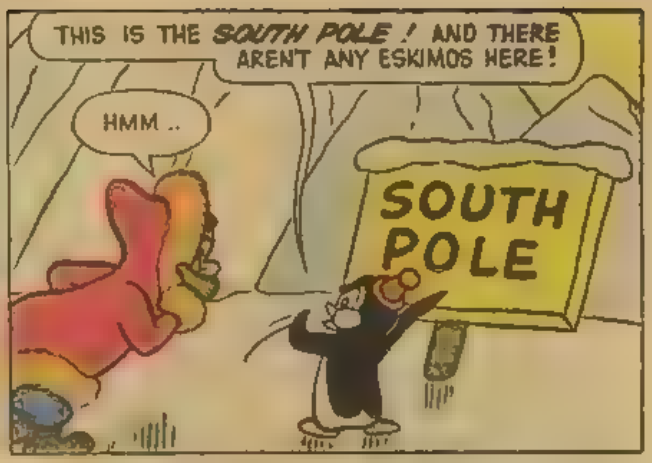

I'D BETTER CHECK UP AND SEE WHAT'S GOING ON AROUND THIS BERG!

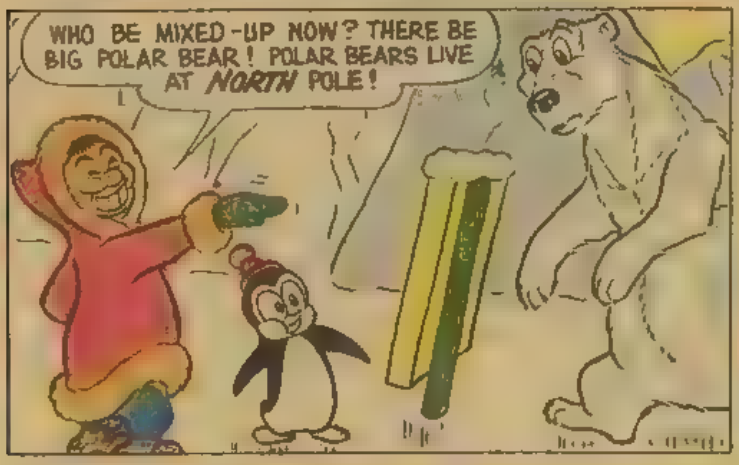

WELL, LOOK WHO'S HERE!

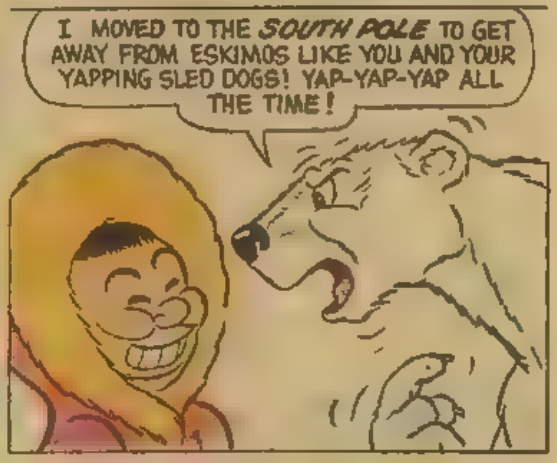

HOWDY, STRANGER! MY NAME IS CHILLY WILLY! WHAT'S YOURS?

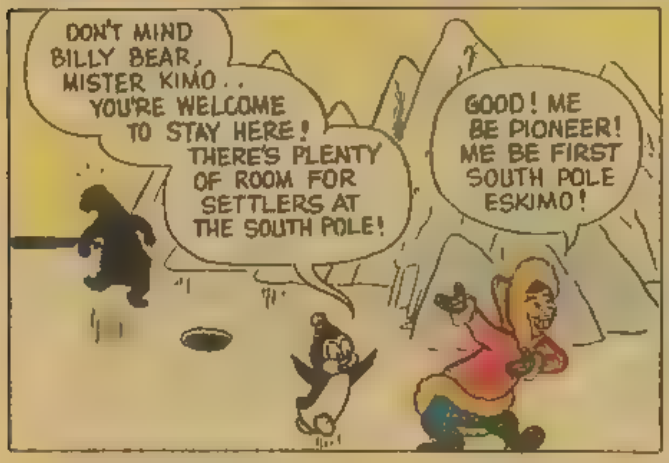

MY NAME IS S.KIMO! NICE TO MEET-UM YOU, BLACKBIRD!
I'M NOT A BLACKBIRD! I'M A PENGUIN!

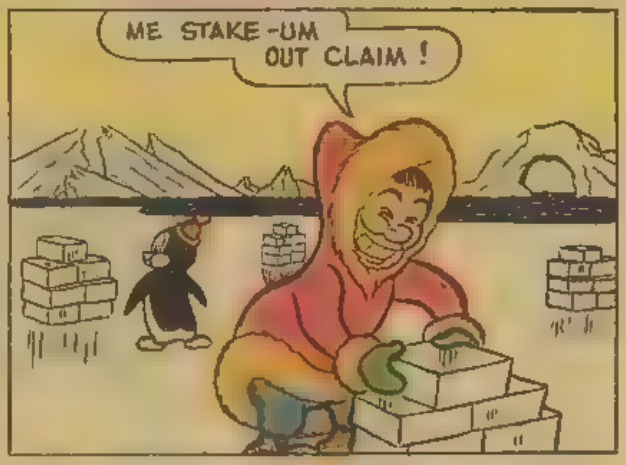

DON'T KID-UM ME, KIDDO! PENGUINS LIVE AT SOUTH POLE! NO PENGUINS HERE AT NORTH POLE!
THIS ISN'T THE NORTH POLE!

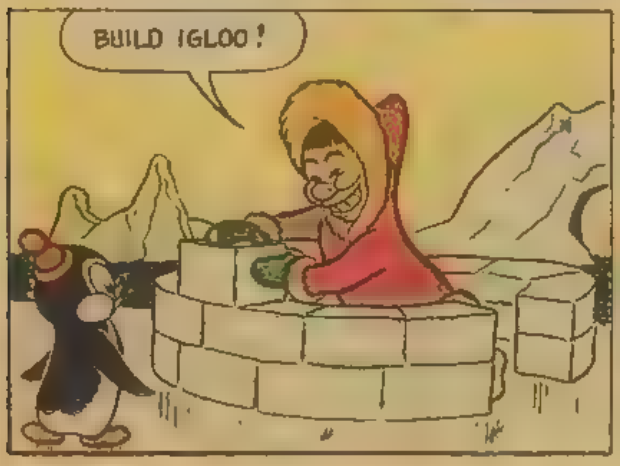

THIS IS THE SOUTH POLE! AND THERE AREN'T ANY ESKIMOS HERE!
HMM ..
SOUTH POLE


WHO BE MIXED-UP NOW? THERE BE BIG POLAR BEAR! POLAR BEARS LIVE AT NORTH POLE!

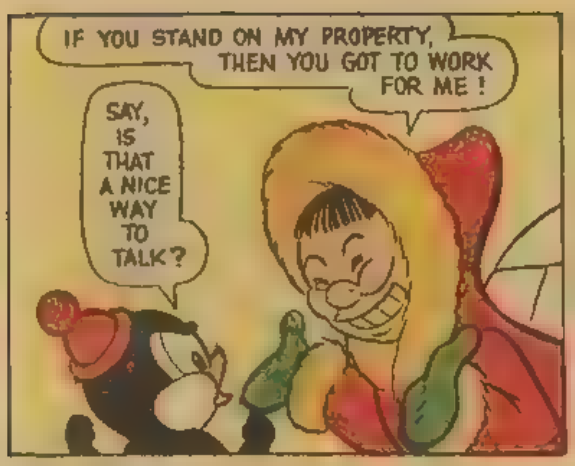

I MOVED TO THE SOUTH POLE TO GET AWAY FROM ESKIMOS LIKE YOU AND YOUR YAPPING SLED DOGS! YAP-YAP-YAP ALL THE TIME!

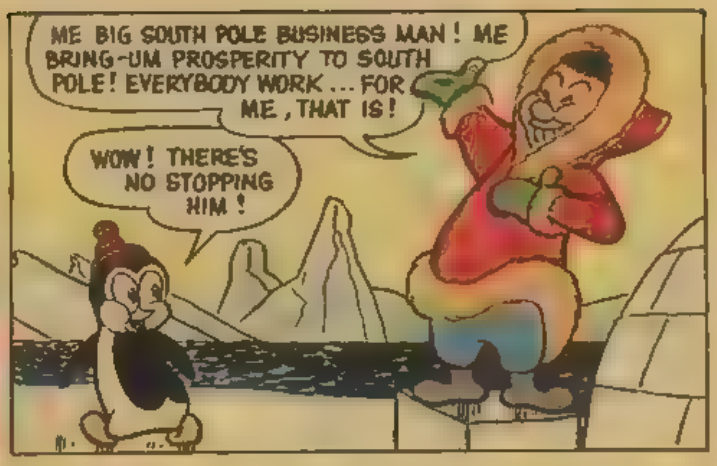

DON'T MIND BILLY BEAR, MISTER KIMO.. YOU'RE WELCOME TO STAY HERE! THERE'S PLENTY OF ROOM FOR SETTLERS AT THE SOUTH POLE!
GOOD! ME BE PIONEER! ME BE FIRST SOUTH POLE ESKIMO!


ME STAKE-UM OUT CLAIM!


BUILD IGLOO!

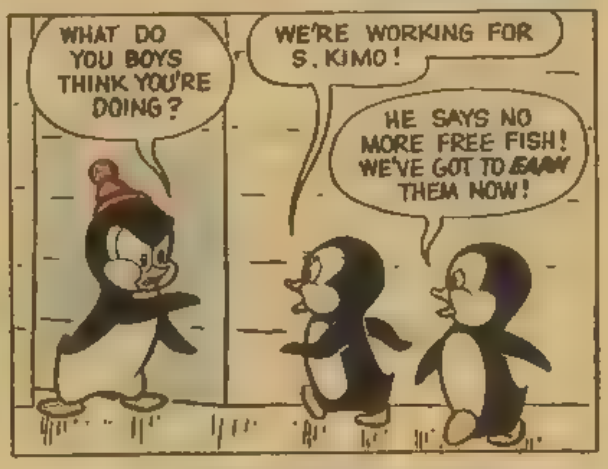
NOW YOU TRESPASSING! YOU STANDING ON PRIVATE PROPERTY... MY PROPERTY!

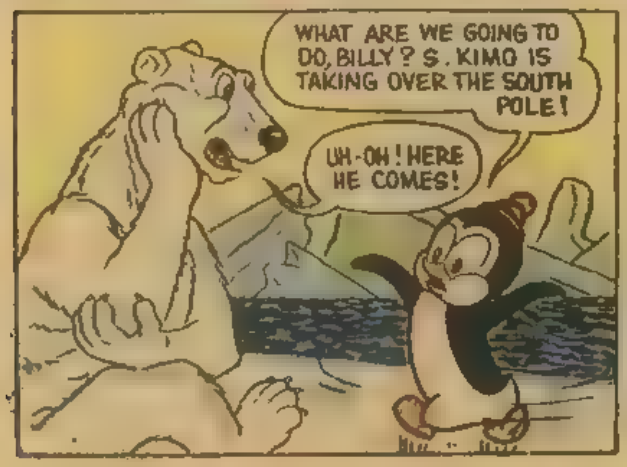

IF YOU STAND ON MY PROPERTY, THEN YOU GOT TO WORK FOR ME!
SAY, IS THAT A NICE WAY TO TALK?

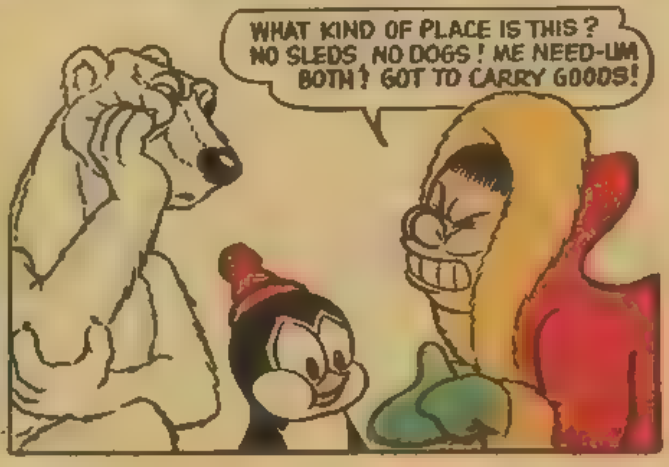

ME BIG SOUTH POLE BUSINESS MAN! ME BRING-UM PROSPERITY TO SOUTH POLE! EVERYBODY WORK... FOR ME, THAT IS!
WOW! THERE'S NO STOPPING HIM!

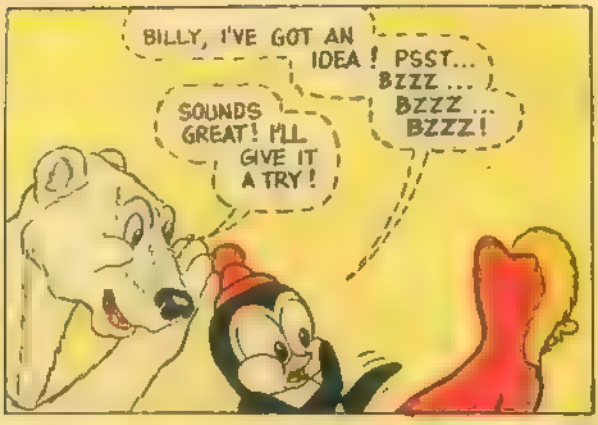
SHORTLY...
MOTHER KIMO'S ICE CANDY
ICE PLANT
GREAT GOBS OF GUPPIES! HE'LL RUIN OUR SOUTHERN ATMOSPHERE WITH THOSE SKYSCRAPERS!
FROZEN FOODS
WAREHOUSE

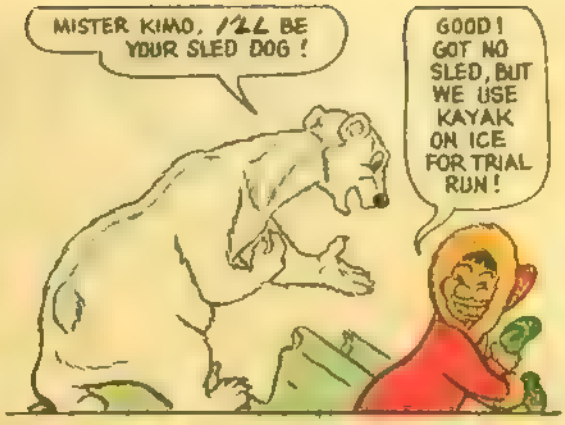
GOOD! YOU CATCH-UM PLENTY FISH! ME PAY YOU TWO FISH EVERY SATURDAY!
NOW WHAT?
FROZEN FOODS

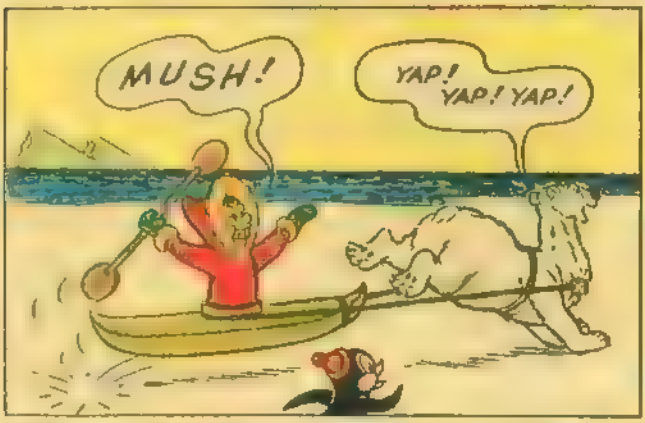

WHAT DO YOU BOYS THINK YOU'RE DOING?
WE'RE WORKING FOR S. KIMO!
HE SAYS NO MORE FREE FISH! WE'VE GOT TO EARN THEM NOW!

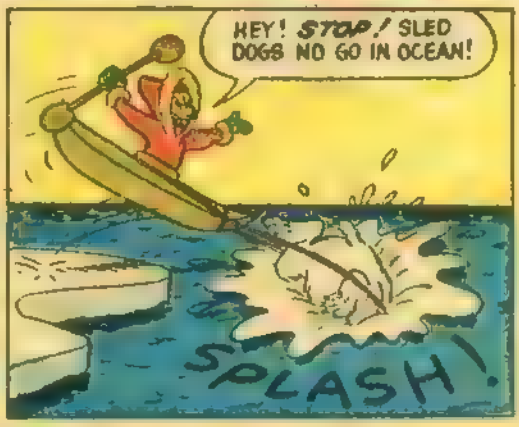

WHAT ARE WE GOING TO DO, BILLY? S. KIMO IS TAKING OVER THE SOUTH POLE!
UH-OH! HERE HE COMES!

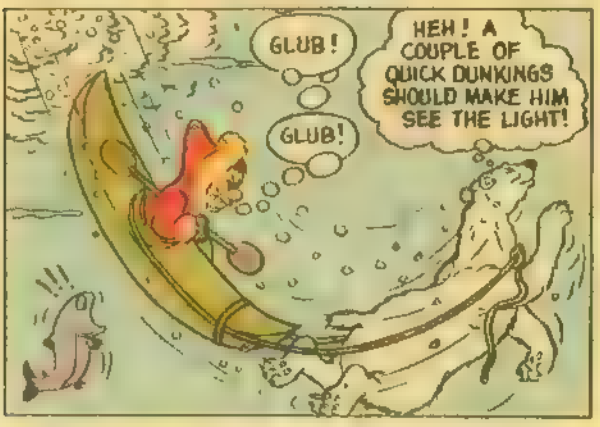

WHAT KIND OF PLACE IS THIS? NO SLEDS, NO DOGS! ME NEED-UM BOTH! GOT TO CARRY GOODS!

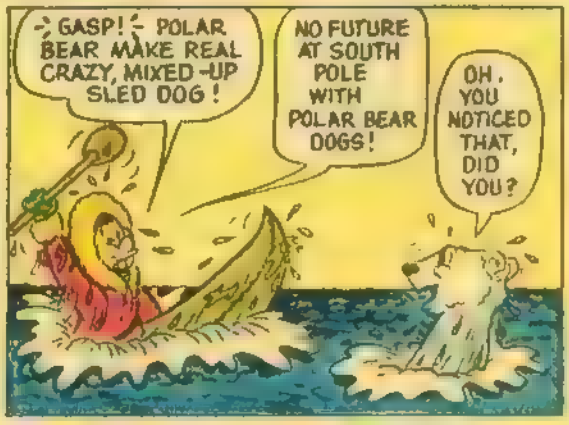

BILLY, I'VE GOT AN IDEA!
PSST... BZZZ... BZZZ... BZZZ!
SOUNDS GREAT! I'LL GIVE IT A TRY!

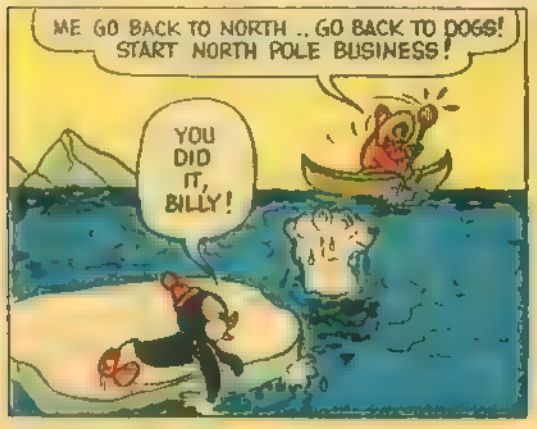

MISTER KIMO, I'LL BE YOUR SLED DOG!
GOOD! GOT NO SLED, BUT WE USE KAYAK ON ICE FOR TRIAL RUN!


MUSH!
YAP! YAP! YAP!


HEY! STOP! SLED DOGS NO GO IN OCEAN!
SPLASH!


GLUB!
GLUB!
HEH! A COUPLE OF QUICK DUNKINGS SHOULD MAKE HIM SEE THE LIGHT!


-GASP!- POLAR BEAR MAKE REAL CRAZY, MIXED-UP SLED DOG!
NO FUTURE AT SOUTH POLE WITH POLAR BEAR DOGS!
OH, YOU NOTICED THAT, DID YOU?

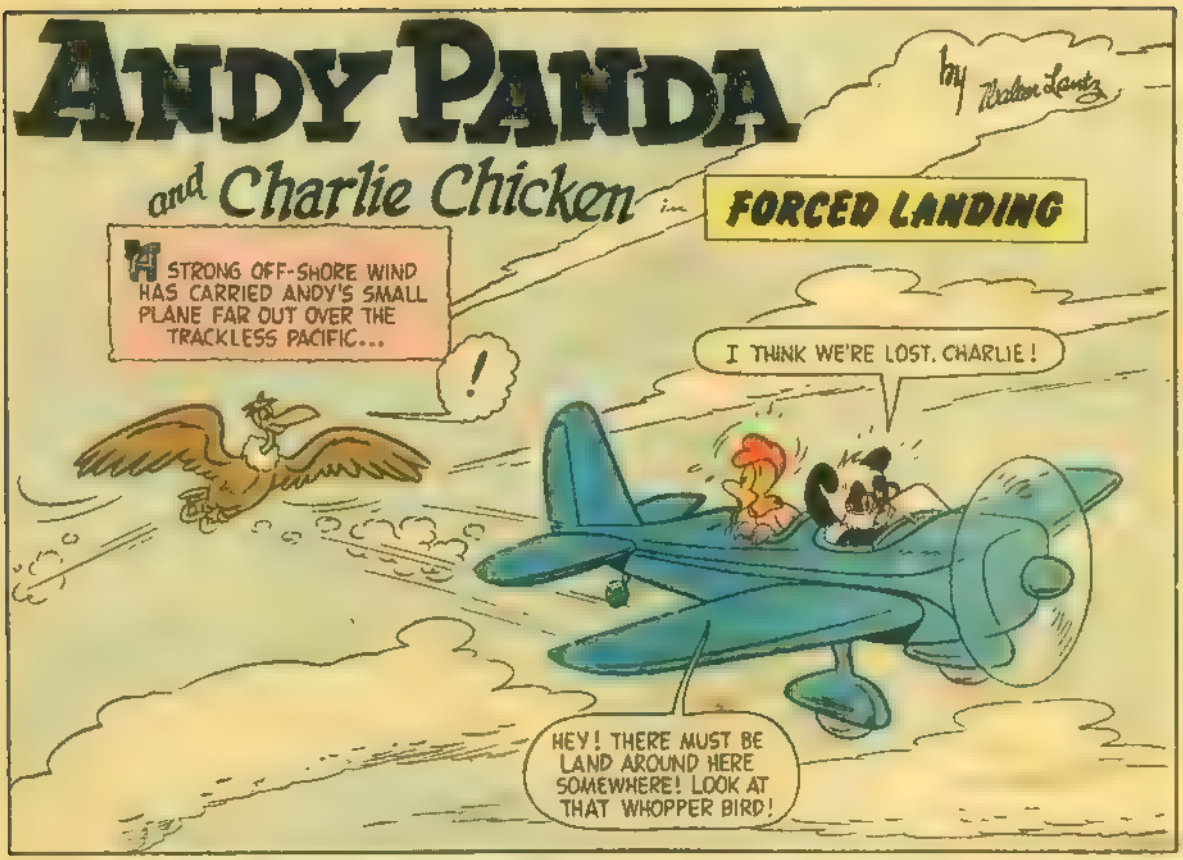

ME GO BACK TO NORTH .. GO BACK TO DOGS! START NORTH POLE BUSINESS!
YOU DID IT, BILLY!

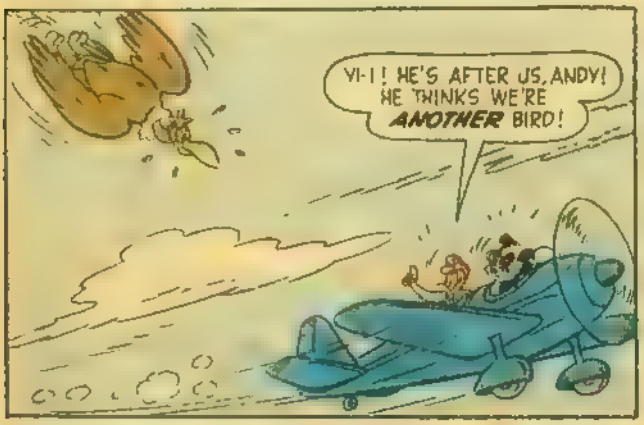
GOOD-BY, MISTER KIMO!
GIVE OUR REGARDS TO THE ESKIMOS!

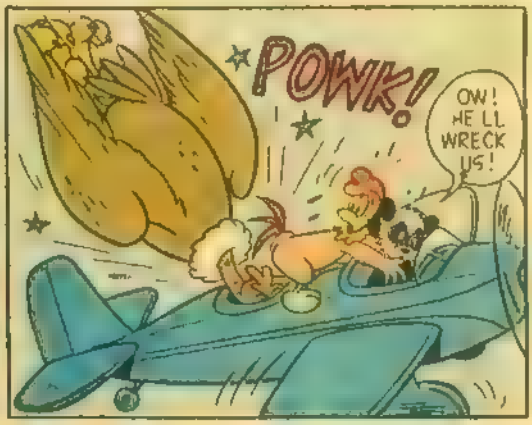
ANDY PANDA

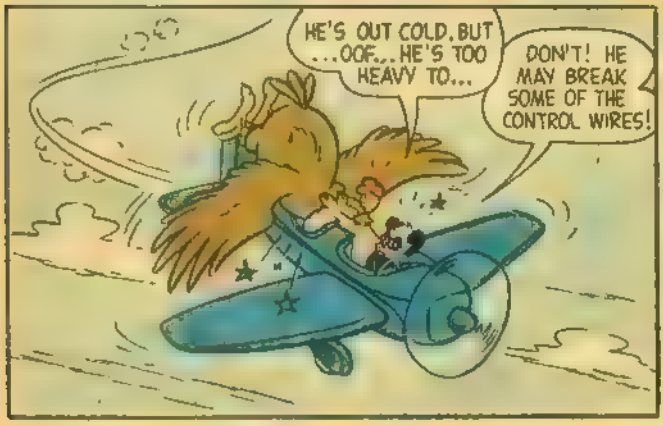
by Walter Lantz

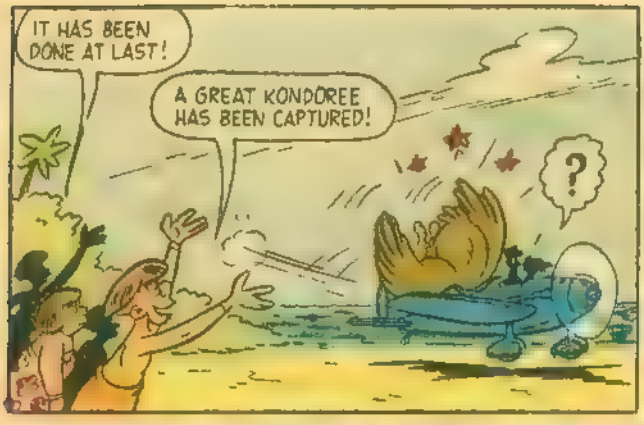
and Charlie Chicken in FORCED LANDING










IT HAS BEEN DONE AT LAST!
A GREAT KONDOREE HAS BEEN CAPTURED!
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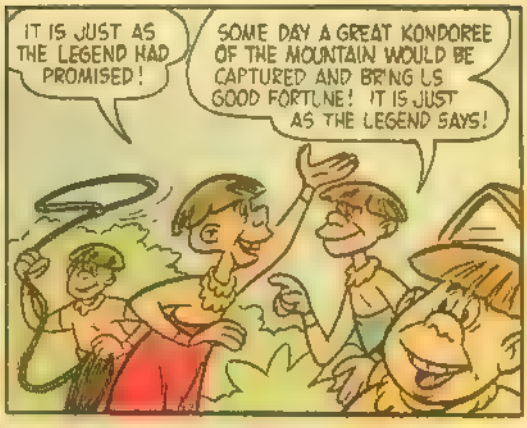
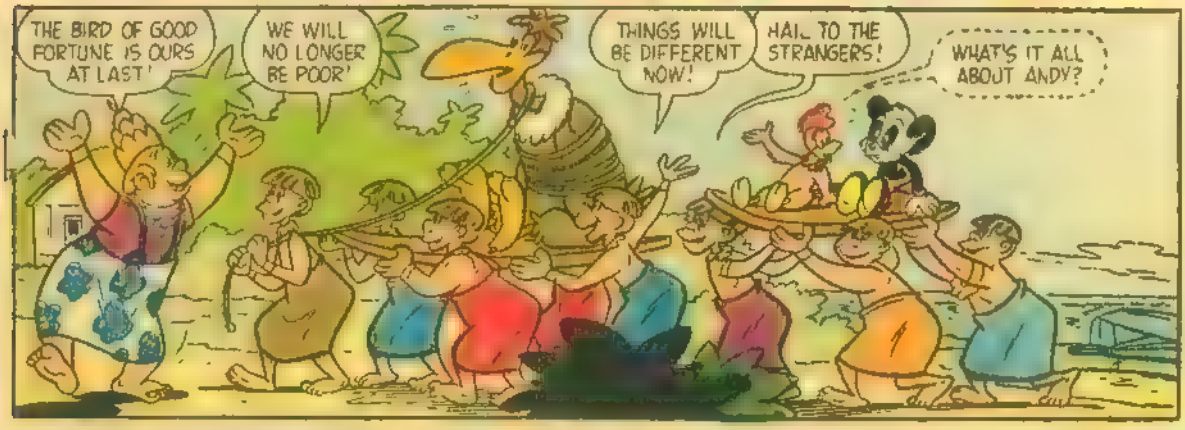
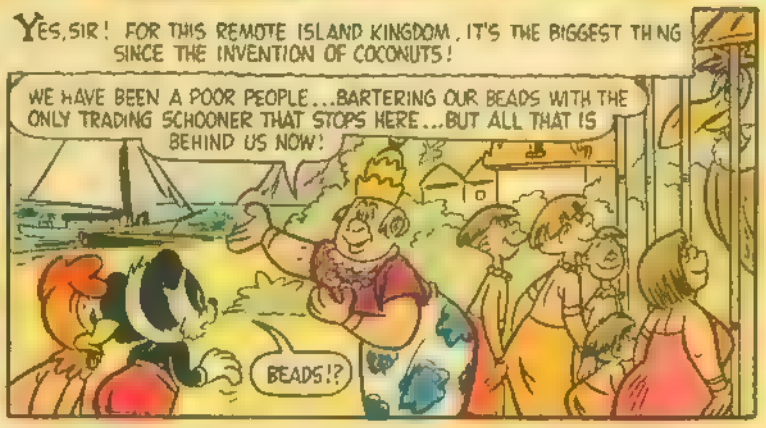
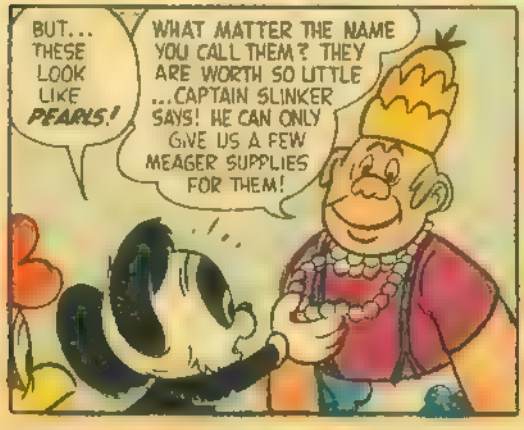
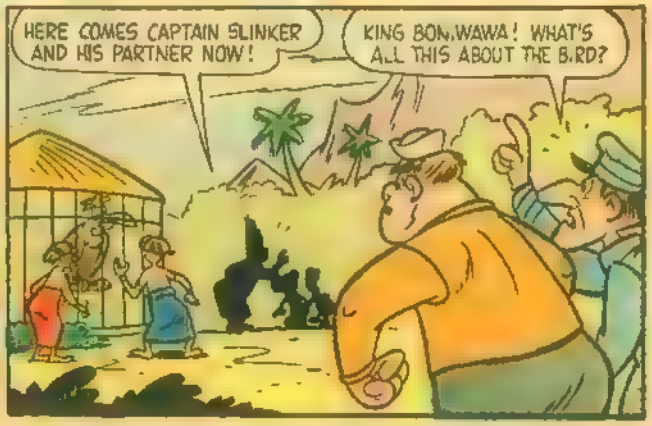

IT IS JUST AS THE LEGEND HAD PROMISED!
SOME DAY A GREAT KONDOREE OF THE MOUNTAIN WOULD BE CAPTURED AND BRING US GOOD FORTUNE! IT IS JUST AS THE LEGEND SAYS!

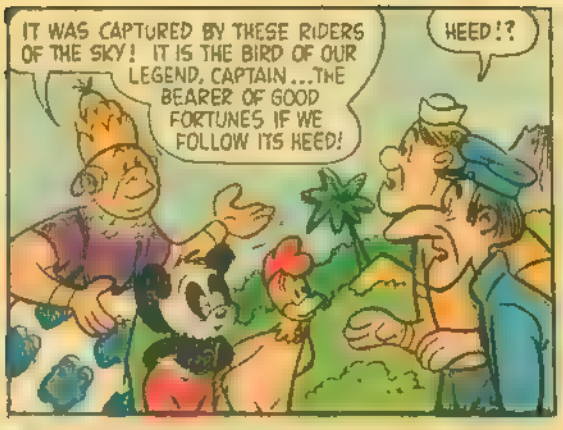

THE BIRD OF GOOD FORTUNE IS OURS AT LAST!
WE WILL NO LONGER BE POOR!
THINGS WILL BE DIFFERENT NOW!
HAIL TO THE STRANGERS!
WHAT'S IT ALL ABOUT ANDY?

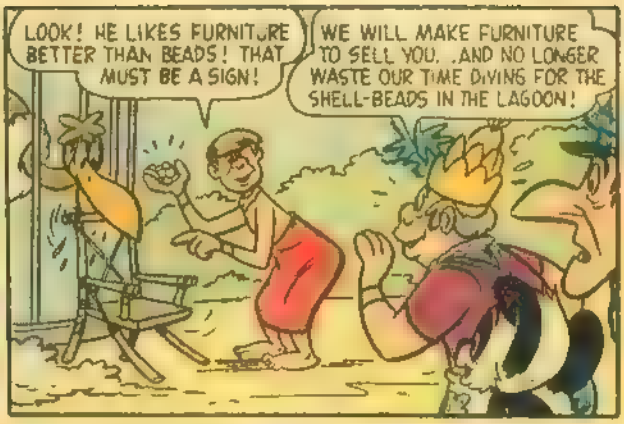
WHO CARES? AT LEAST...(SIGH)...WE SEEM TO HAVE DONE SOMETHING RIGHT THIS TIME!


YES, SIR! FOR THIS REMOTE ISLAND KINGDOM, IT'S THE BIGGEST THING SINCE THE INVENTION OF COCONUTS!
WE HAVE BEEN A POOR PEOPLE...BARTERING OUR BEADS WITH THE ONLY TRADING SCHOONER THAT STOPS HERE...BUT ALL THAT IS BEHIND US NOW!
BEADS!?

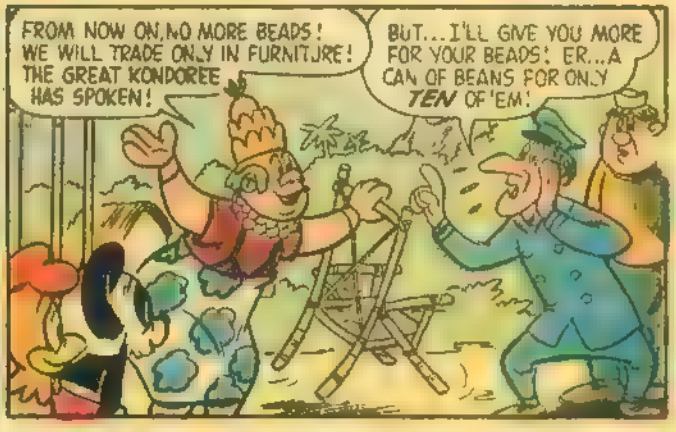

BUT... THESE LOOK LIKE PEARLS!
WHAT MATTER THE NAME YOU CALL THEM? THEY ARE WORTH SO LITTLE ...CAPTAIN SLINKER SAYS! HE CAN ONLY GIVE US A FEW MEAGER SUPPLIES FOR THEM!

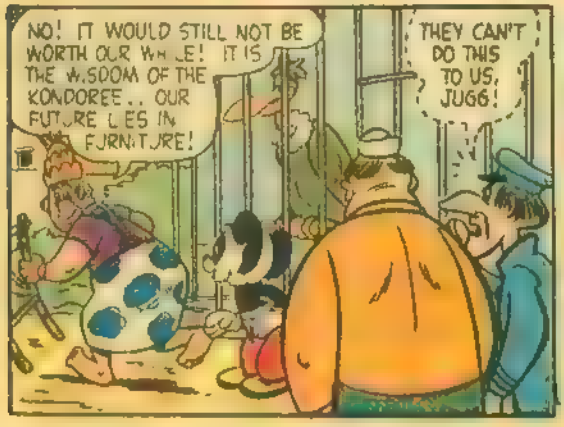

HERE COMES CAPTAIN SLINKER AND HIS PARTNER NOW!
KING BONWAWA! WHAT'S ALL THIS ABOUT THE BIRD?

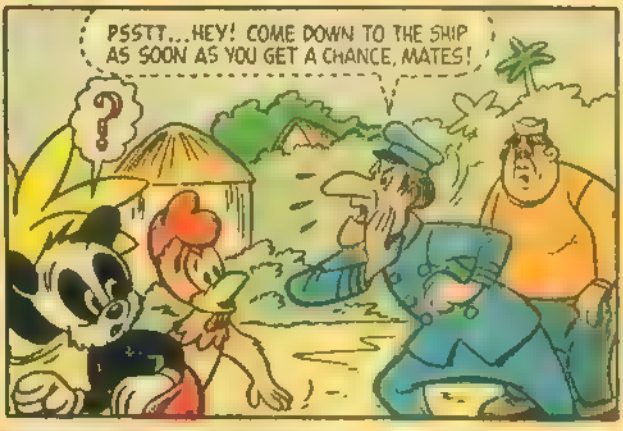

IT WAS CAPTURED BY THESE RIDERS OF THE SKY! IT IS THE BIRD OF OUR LEGEND, CAPTAIN...THE BEARER OF GOOD FORTUNES IF WE FOLLOW ITS HEED!
HEED!?


LOOK! HE LIKES FURNITURE BETTER THAN BEADS! THAT MUST BE A SIGN!
WE WILL MAKE FURNITURE TO SELL YOU. .AND NO LONGER WASTE OUR TIME DIVING FOR THE SHELL-BEADS IN THE LAGOON!

WHAT!? I DON'T WANNA TRADE FOR FURNITURE! I WANT PEARL ..ER BEADS!
BUT THEY ARE WORTH SO LITTLE, YOU SAY!


FROM NOW ON, NO MORE BEADS! WE WILL TRADE ONLY IN FURNITURE! THE GREAT KONDOREE HAS SPOKEN!
BUT...I'LL GIVE YOU MORE FOR YOUR BEADS! ER...A CAN OF BEANS FOR ONLY TEN OF 'EM!


NO! IT WOULD STILL NOT BE WORTH OUR WHILE! IT IS THE WISDOM OF THE KONDOREE.. OUR FUTURE LIES IN FURNITURE!
THEY CAN'T DO THIS TO US, JUGG!


PSSTT...HEY! COME DOWN TO THE SHIP AS SOON AS YOU GET A CHANCE, MATES!
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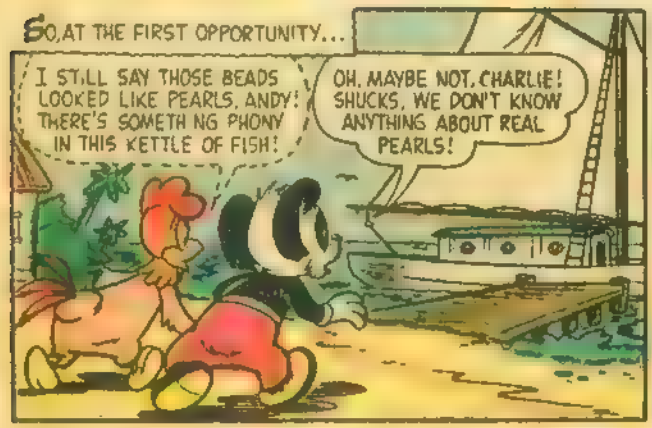
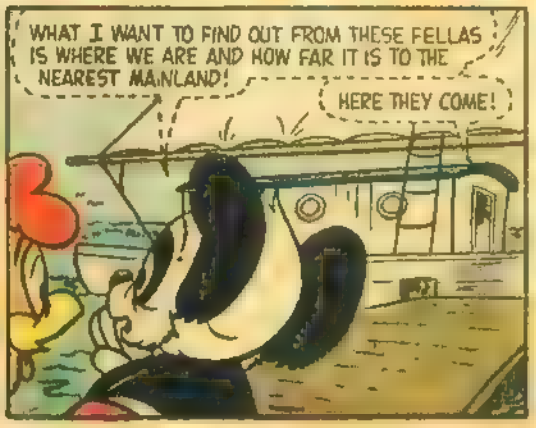
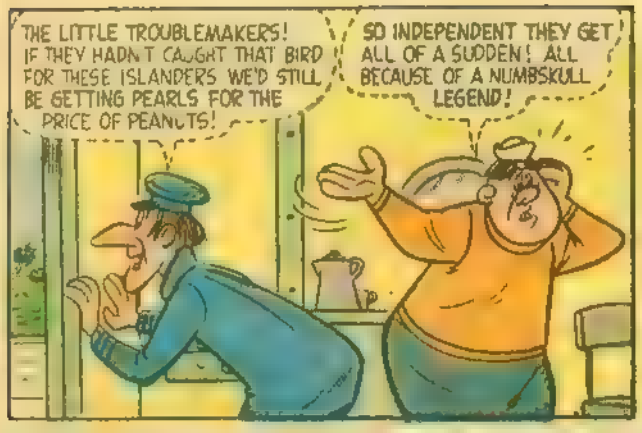
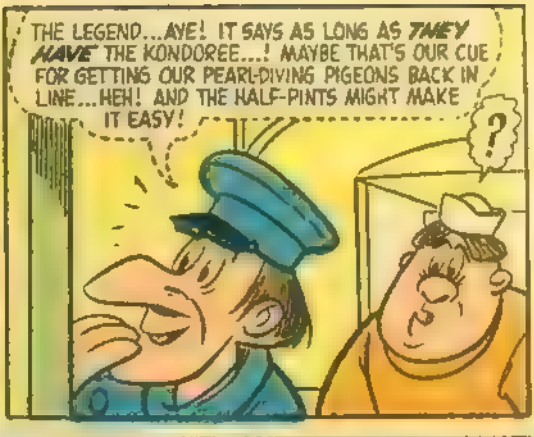

SO, AT THE FIRST OPPORTUNITY...
I STILL SAY THOSE BEADS LOOKED LIKE PEARLS, ANDY! THERE'S SOMETHING PHONY IN THIS KETTLE OF FISH!
OH, MAYBE NOT, CHARLIE! SHUCKS, WE DON'T KNOW ANYTHING ABOUT REAL PEARLS!


WHAT I WANT TO FIND OUT FROM THESE FELLAS IS WHERE WE ARE AND HOW FAR IT IS TO THE NEAREST MAINLAND!
HERE THEY COME!


THE LITTLE TROUBLEMAKERS! IF THEY HADN'T CAUGHT THAT BIRD FOR THESE ISLANDERS WE'D STILL BE GETTING PEARLS FOR THE PRICE OF PEANUTS!
SO INDEPENDENT THEY GET ALL OF A SUDDEN! ALL BECAUSE OF A NUMBSKULL LEGEND!


THE LEGEND...AYE! IT SAYS AS LONG AS THEY HAVE THE KONDOREE...! MAYBE THAT'S OUR CUE FOR GETTING OUR PEARL-DIVING PIGEONS BACK IN LINE...HEH! AND THE HALF-PINTS MIGHT MAKE IT EASY!
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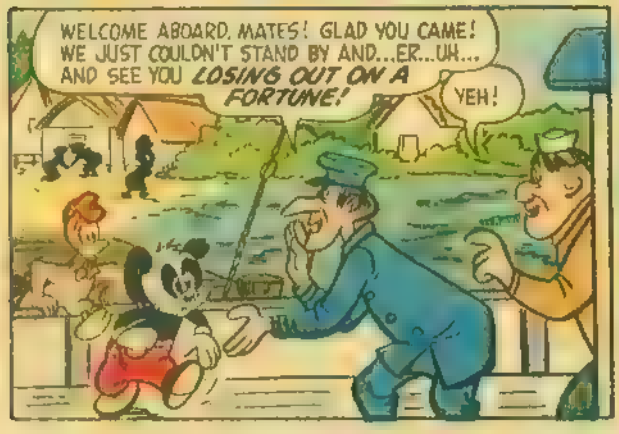
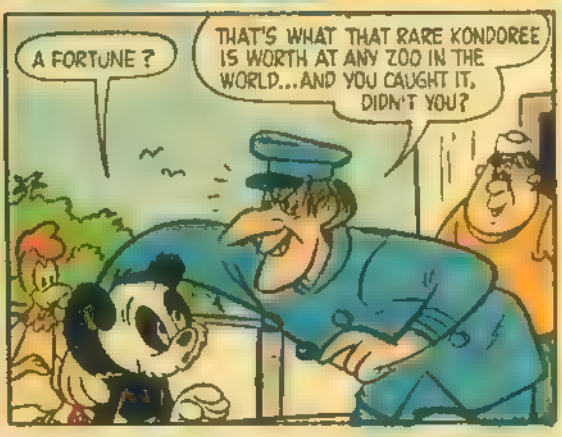
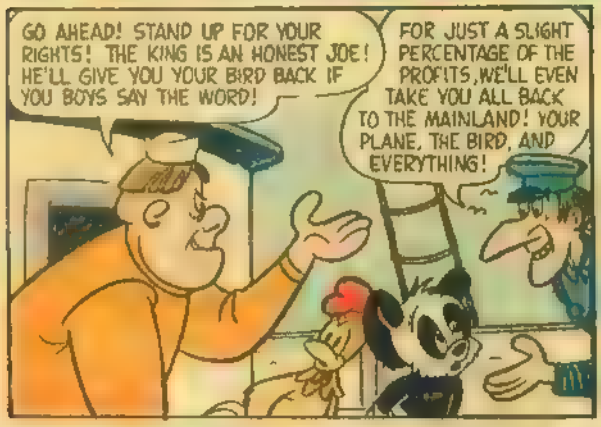
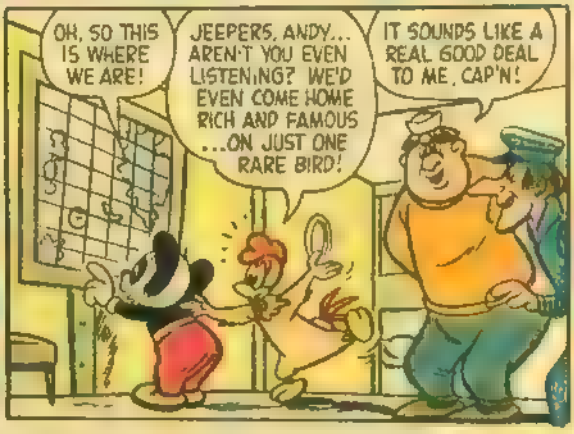
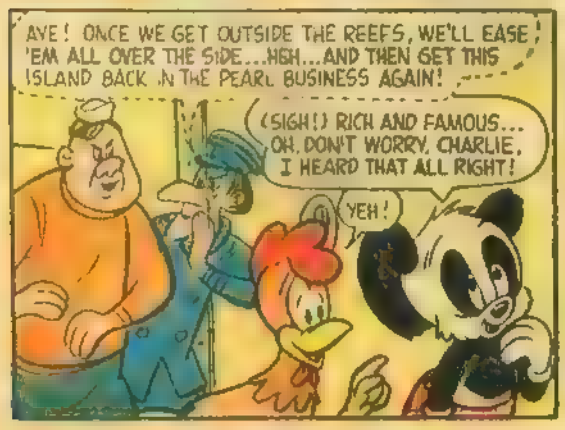
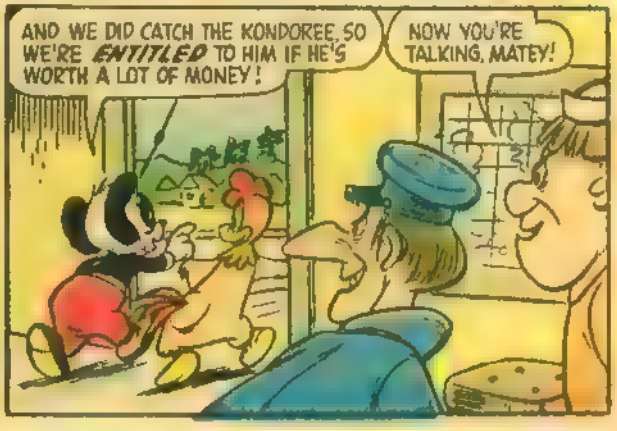

WELCOME ABOARD, MATES! GLAD YOU CAME! WE JUST COULDN'T STAND BY AND...ER...UH... AND SEE YOU LOSING OUT ON A FORTUNE!
YEH!

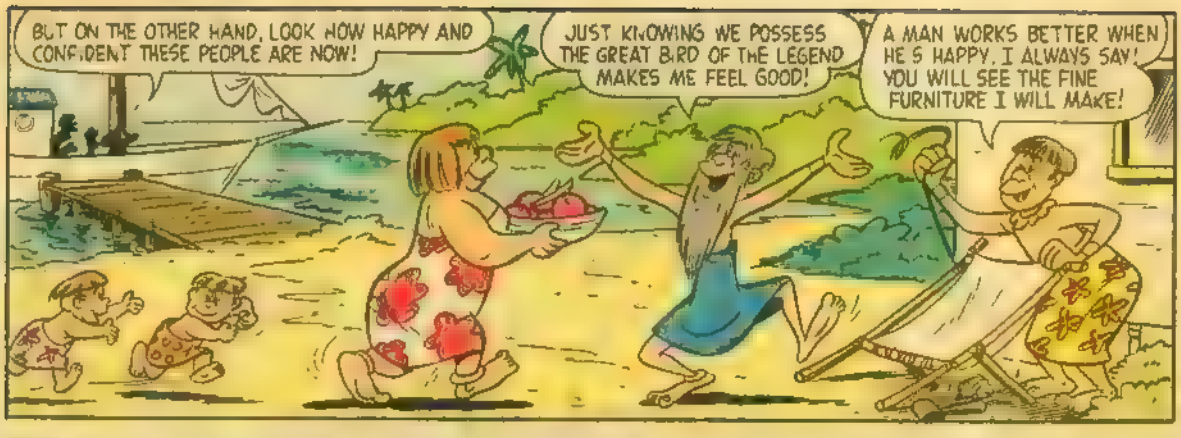

A FORTUNE?
THAT'S WHAT THAT RARE KONDOREE IS WORTH AT ANY ZOO IN THE WORLD...AND YOU CAUGHT IT, DIDN'T YOU?

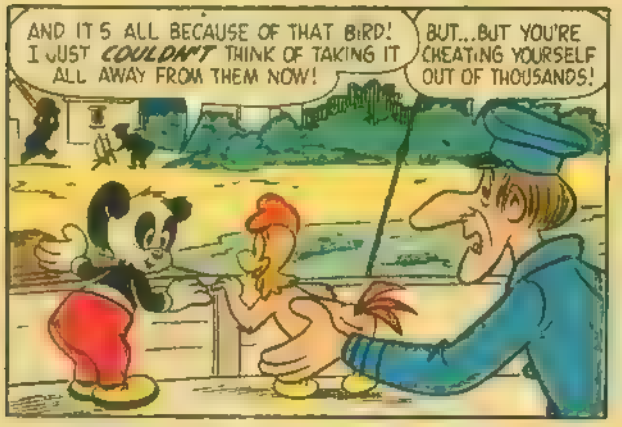

GO AHEAD! STAND UP FOR YOUR RIGHTS! THE KING IS AN HONEST JOE! HE'LL GIVE YOU YOUR BIRD BACK IF YOU BOYS SAY THE WORD!
FOR JUST A SLIGHT PERCENTAGE OF THE PROFITS, WE'LL EVEN TAKE YOU ALL BACK TO THE MAINLAND! YOUR PLANE, THE BIRD, AND EVERYTHING!

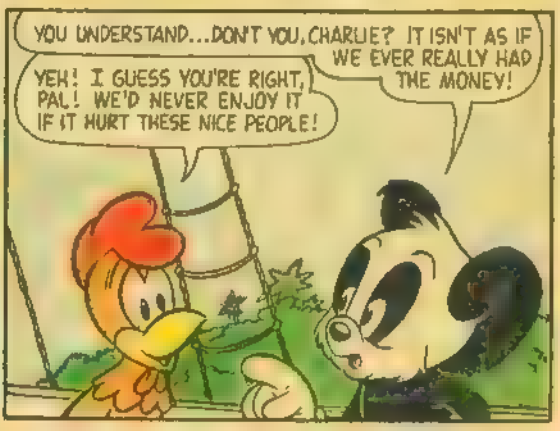

OH, SO THIS IS WHERE WE ARE!
JEEPERS, ANDY... AREN'T YOU EVEN LISTENING? WE'D EVEN COME HOME RICH AND FAMOUS ...ON JUST ONE RARE BIRD!
IT SOUNDS LIKE A REAL GOOD DEAL TO ME, CAP'N!

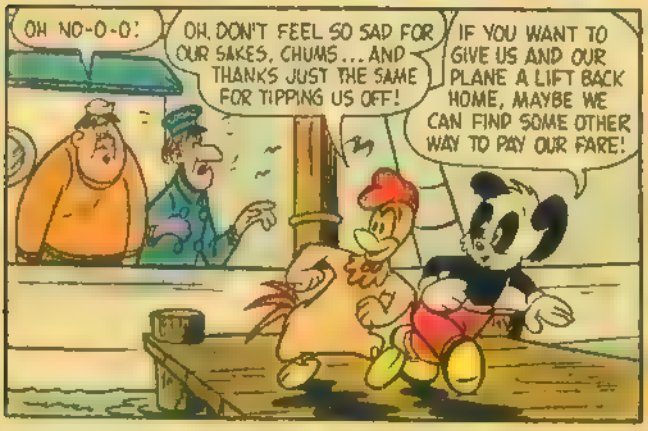

AYE! ONCE WE GET OUTSIDE THE REEFS, WE'LL EASE 'EM ALL OVER THE SIDE...HEH...AND THEN GET THIS ISLAND BACK IN THE PEARL BUSINESS AGAIN!
(SIGH!) RICH AND FAMOUS... OH, DON'T WORRY, CHARLIE, I HEARD THAT ALL RIGHT!
YEH!

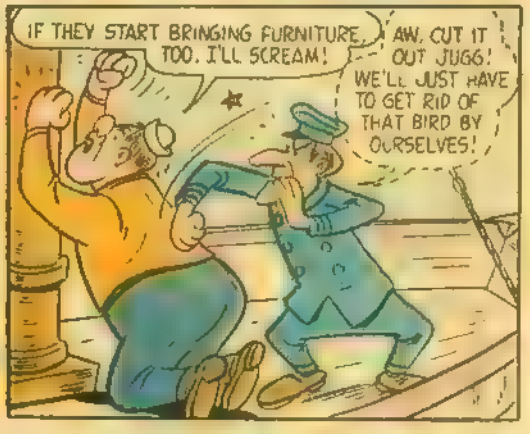

AND WE DID CATCH THE KONDOREE, SO WE'RE ENTITLED TO HIM IF HE'S WORTH A LOT OF MONEY!
NOW YOU'RE TALKING, MATEY!

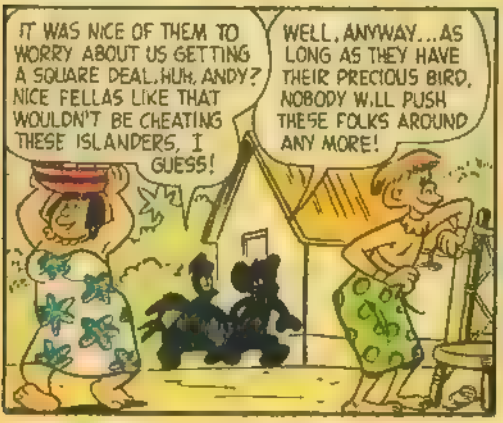

BUT ON THE OTHER HAND, LOOK HOW HAPPY AND CONFIDENT THESE PEOPLE ARE NOW!
JUST KNOWING WE POSSESS THE GREAT BIRD OF THE LEGEND MAKES ME FEEL GOOD!
A MAN WORKS BETTER WHEN HE'S HAPPY, I ALWAYS SAY! YOU WILL SEE THE FINE FURNITURE I WILL MAKE!

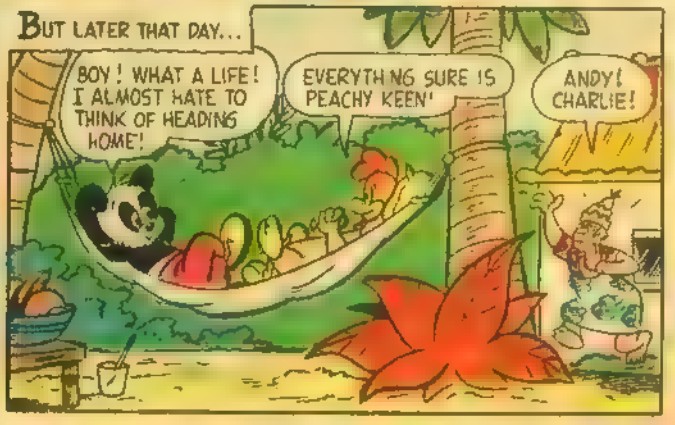

AND IT'S ALL BECAUSE OF THAT BIRD! I JUST COULDN'T THINK OF TAKING IT ALL AWAY FROM THEM NOW!
BUT...BUT YOU'RE CHEATING YOURSELF OUT OF THOUSANDS!

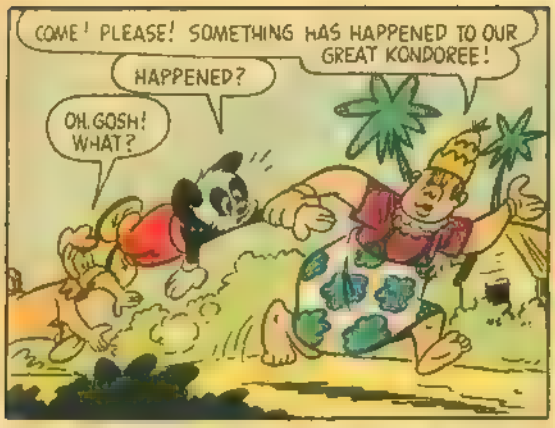

YOU UNDERSTAND...DON'T YOU, CHARLIE? IT ISN'T AS IF WE EVER REALLY HAD THE MONEY!
YEH! I GUESS YOU'RE RIGHT, PAL! WE'D NEVER ENJOY IT IF IT HURT THESE NICE PEOPLE!

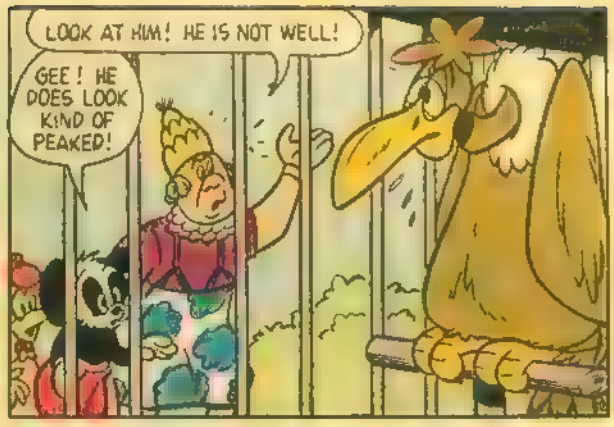

OH NO-O-O!
OH, DON'T FEEL SO SAD FOR OUR SAKES, CHUMS... AND THANKS JUST THE SAME FOR TIPPING US OFF!
IF YOU WANT TO GIVE US AND OUR PLANE A LIFT BACK HOME, MAYBE WE CAN FIND SOME OTHER WAY TO PAY OUR FARE!

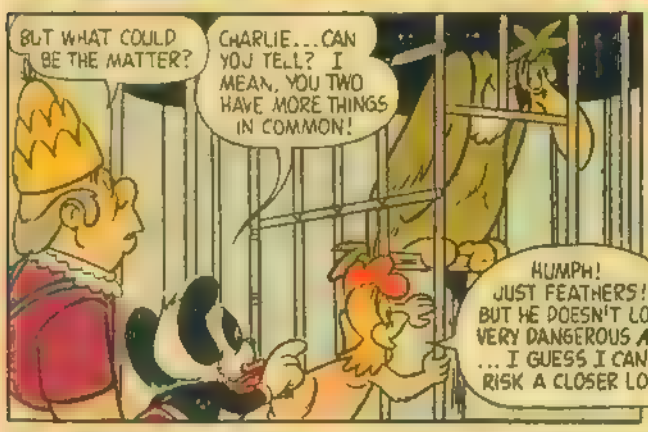

IF THEY START BRINGING FURNITURE TOO, I'LL SCREAM!
AW, CUT IT OUT JUG! WE'LL JUST HAVE TO GET RID OF THAT BIRD BY OURSELVES!

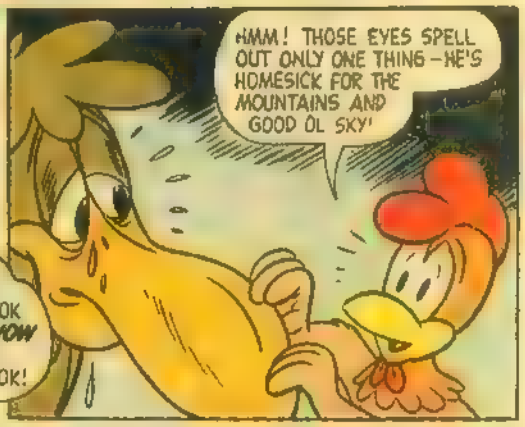

IT WAS NICE OF THEM TO WORRY ABOUT US GETTING A SQUARE DEAL, HUH, ANDY? NICE FELLAS LIKE THAT WOULDN'T BE CHEATING THESE ISLANDERS, I GUESS!
WELL, ANYWAY...AS LONG AS THEY HAVE THEIR PRECIOUS BIRD, NOBODY WILL PUSH THESE FOLKS AROUND ANY MORE!

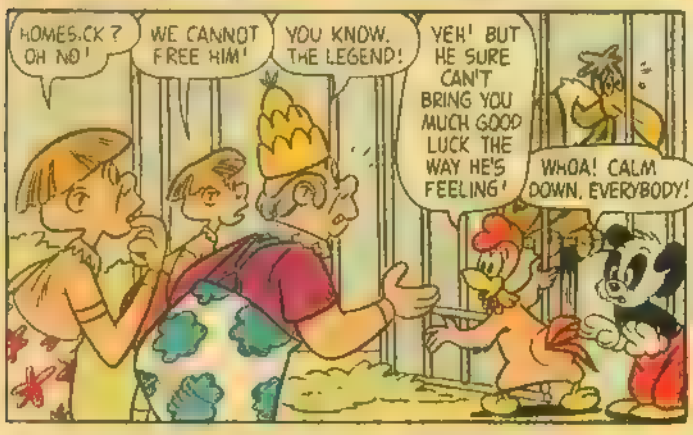

BUT LATER THAT DAY...
BOY! WHAT A LIFE! I ALMOST HATE TO THINK OF HEADING HOME!
EVERYTHING SURE IS PEACHY KEEN!
ANDY! CHARLIE!

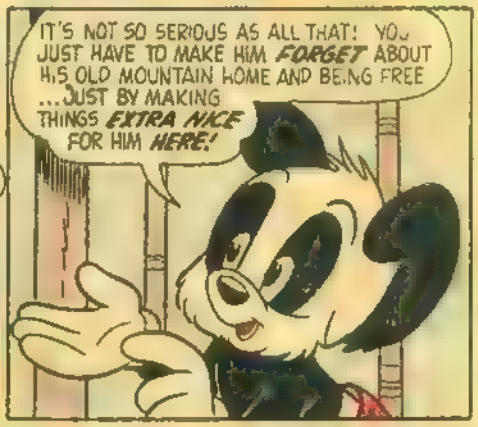

COME! PLEASE! SOMETHING HAS HAPPENED TO OUR GREAT KONDOREE!
HAPPENED?
OH, GOSH! WHAT?

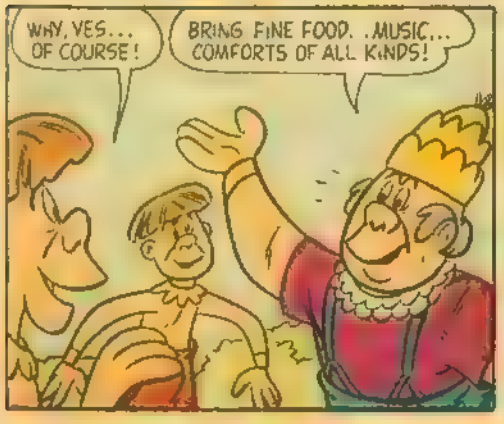

LOOK AT HIM! HE IS NOT WELL!
GEE! HE DOES LOOK KIND OF PEAKED!

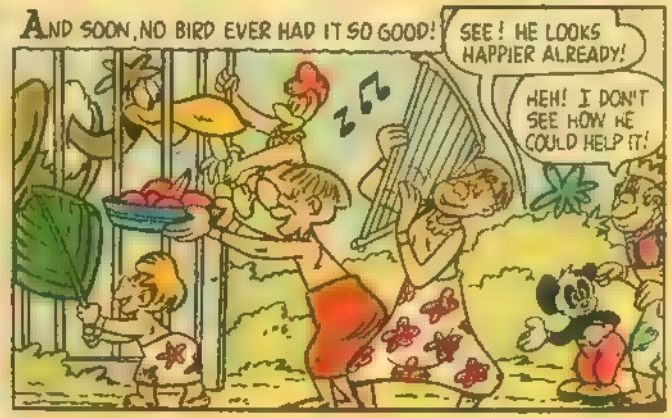

BUT WHAT COULD BE THE MATTER?
CHARLIE...CAN YOU TELL? I MEAN, YOU TWO HAVE MORE THINGS IN COMMON!
HUMPH! JUST FEATHERS! BUT HE DOESN'T LOOK VERY DANGEROUS *NOW* ...I GUESS I CAN RISK A CLOSER LOOK!

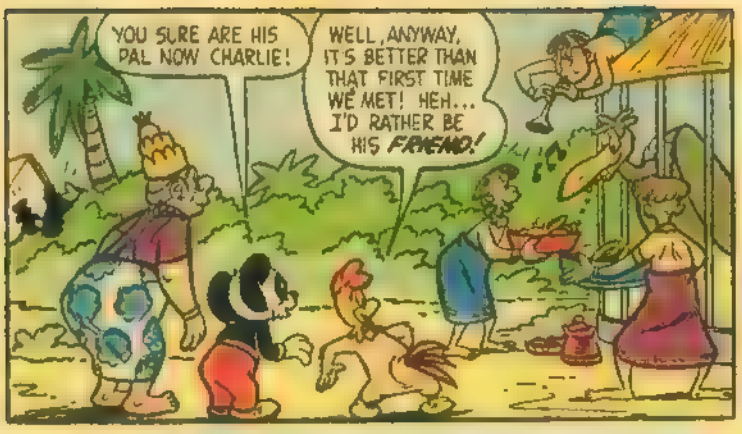

HMM! THOSE EYES SPELL OUT ONLY ONE THING—HE'S HOMESICK FOR THE MOUNTAINS AND GOOD OL SKY!

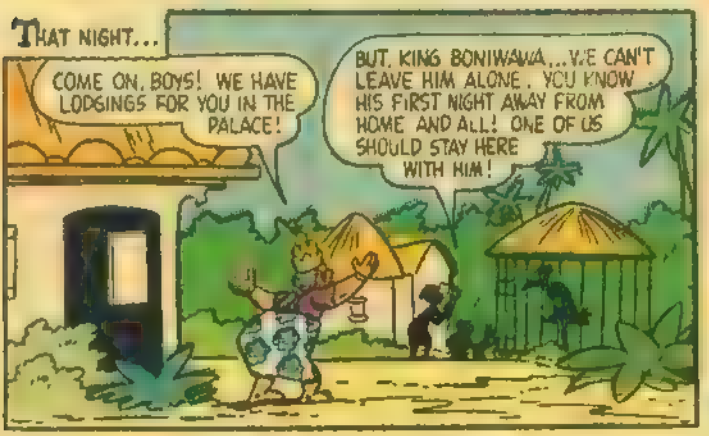

HOMESICK? OH NO!
WE CANNOT FREE HIM!
YOU KNOW, THE LEGEND!
YEH! BUT HE SURE CAN'T BRING YOU MUCH GOOD LUCK THE WAY HE'S FEELING!
WHOA! CALM DOWN, EVERYBODY!

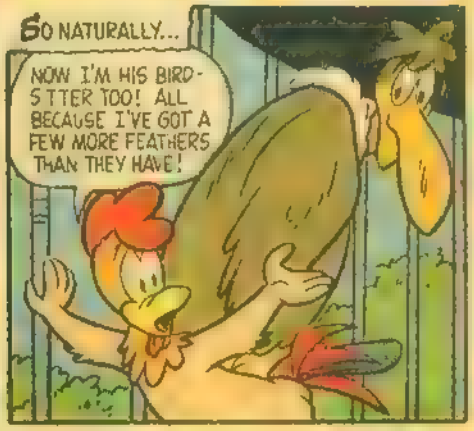

IT'S NOT SO SERIOUS AS ALL THAT! YOU JUST HAVE TO MAKE HIM *FORGET* ABOUT HIS OLD MOUNTAIN HOME AND BEING FREE ...JUST BY MAKING THINGS *EXTRA NICE* FOR HIM *HERE!*

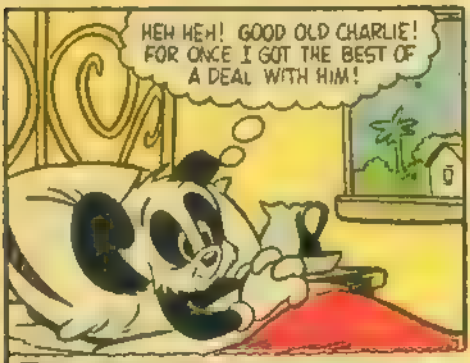

WHY, YES... OF COURSE!
BRING FINE FOOD. .MUSIC... COMFORTS OF ALL KINDS!


AND SOON, NO BIRD EVER HAD IT SO GOOD!
SEE! HE LOOKS HAPPIER ALREADY!
HEH! I DON'T SEE HOW HE COULD HELP IT!

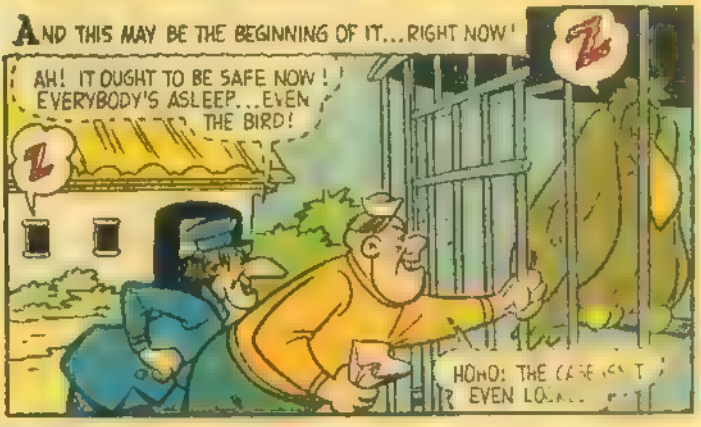


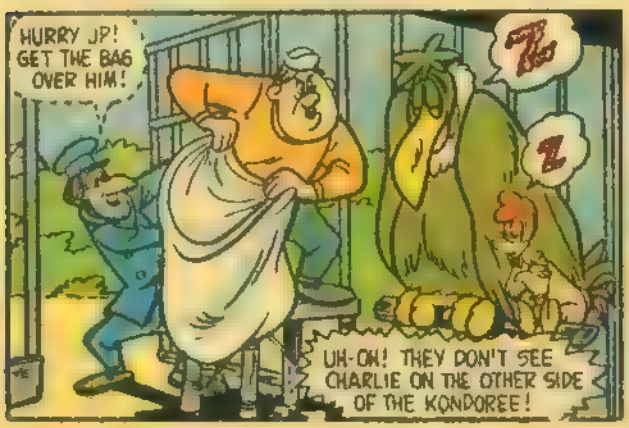


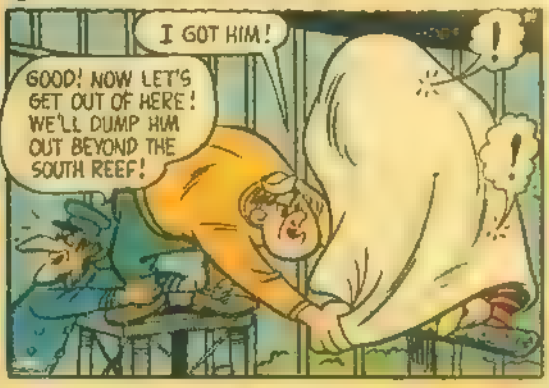


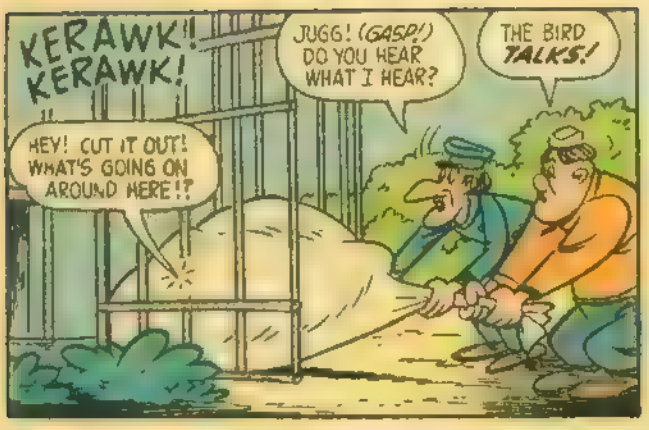


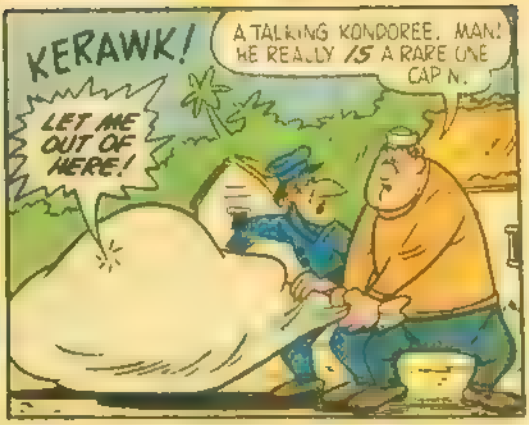
BUT...THERE IS MORE THAN JUST SLEEP IN STORE FOR ANDY...AND FOR EVERYONE...TONIGHT!

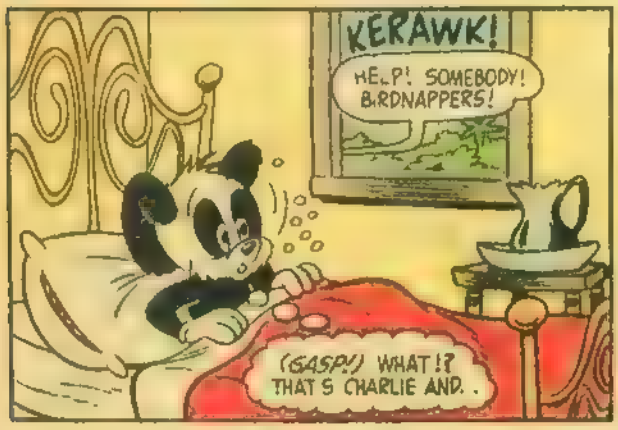


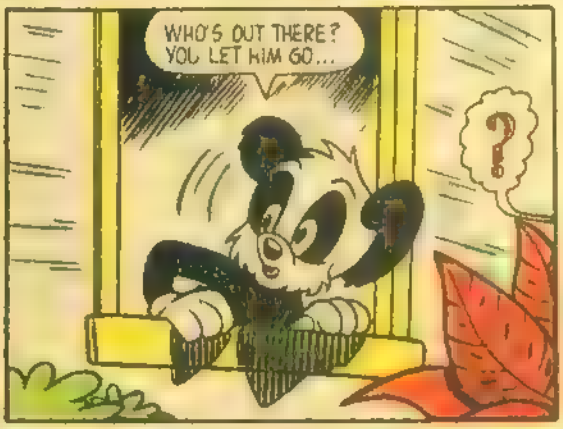





KERAWK! KERAWK!
JUGG! (GASP!) DO YOU HEAR WHAT I HEAR?
THE BIRD TALKS!
HEY! CUT IT OUT! WHAT'S GOING ON AROUND HERE!?


KERAWK!
A TALKING KONDOREE. MAN! HE REALLY IS A RARE ONE CAP'N.
LET ME OUT OF HERE!


KERAWK!
HELP! SOMEBODY! BIRDNAPPERS!
(GASP!) WHAT!? THAT'S CHARLIE AND..


WHO'S OUT THERE? YOU LET HIM GO...
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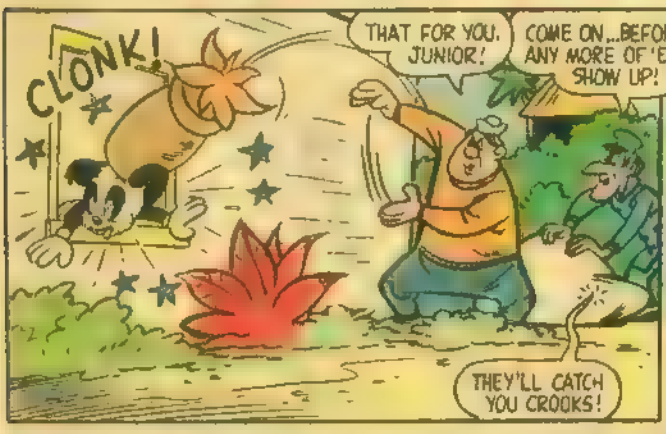
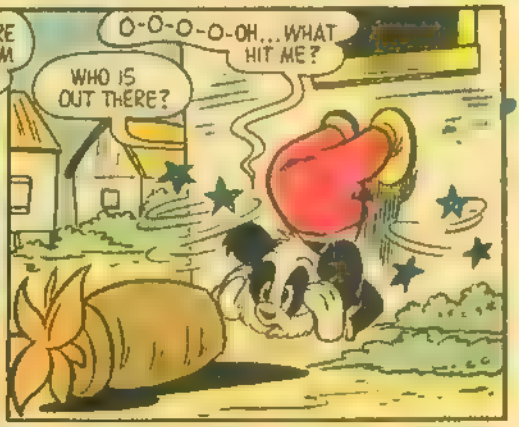
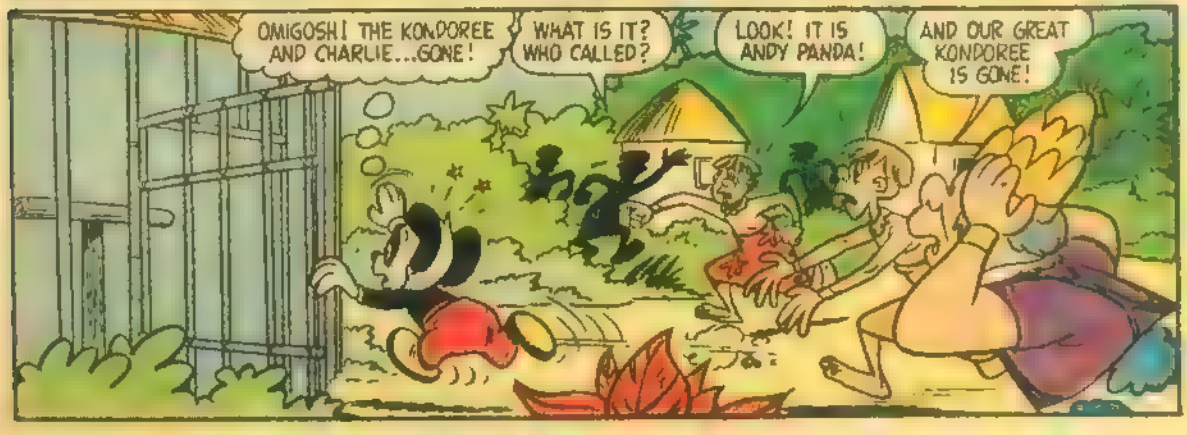
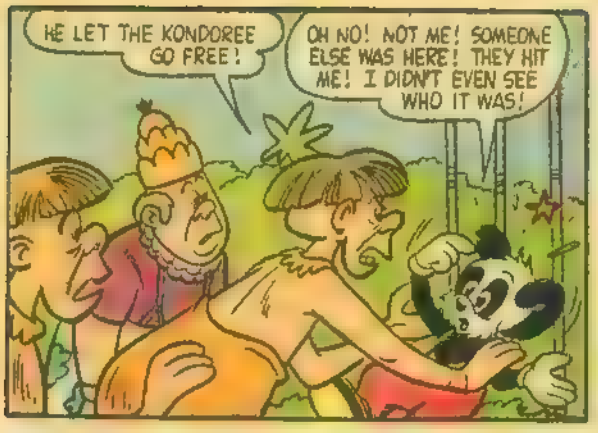
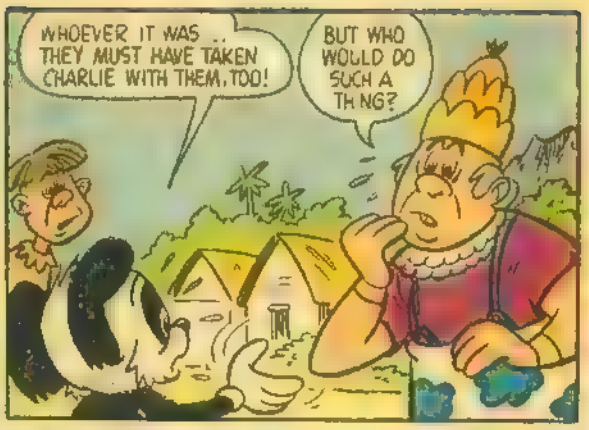
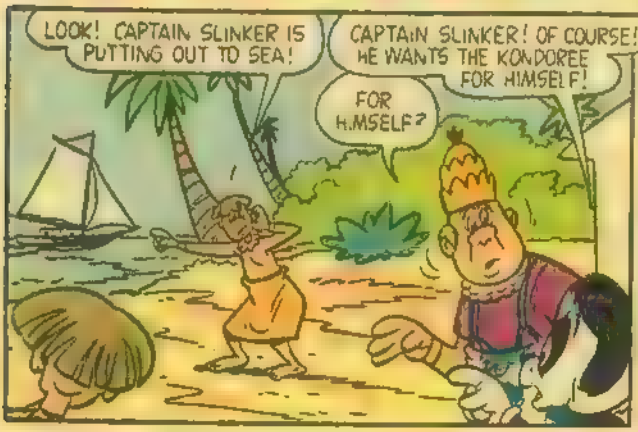

CLONK!
THAT FOR YOU, JUNIOR!
COME ON...BEFORE ANY MORE OF 'EM SHOW UP!
THEY'LL CATCH YOU CROOKS!

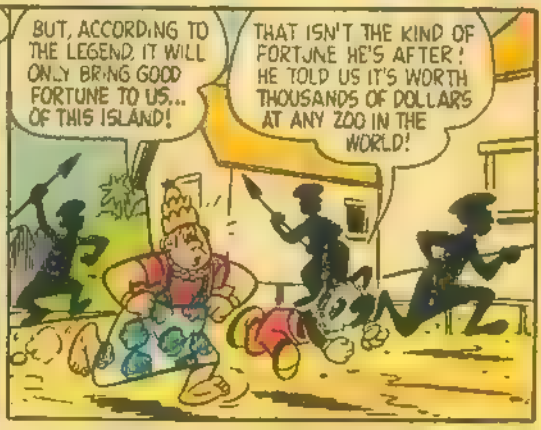

O-O-O-O-OH...WHAT HIT ME?
WHO IS OUT THERE?

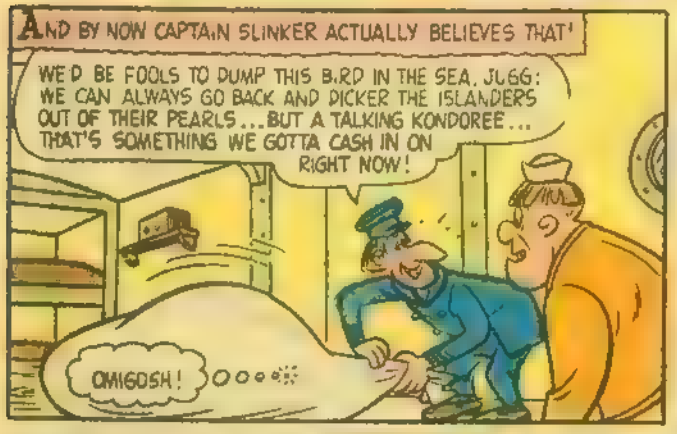

OMIGOSH! THE KONDOREE AND CHARLIE...GONE!
WHAT IS IT? WHO CALLED?
LOOK! IT IS ANDY PANDA!
AND OUR GREAT KONDOREE IS GONE!

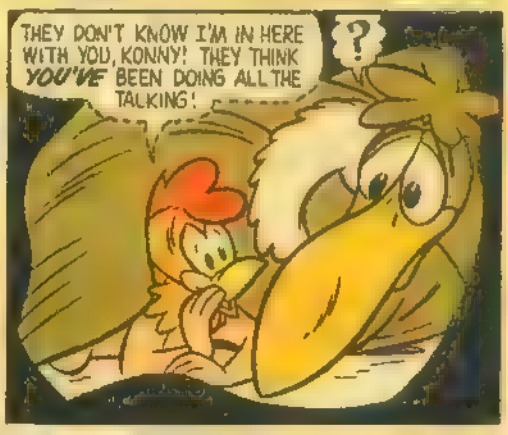

HE LET THE KONDOREE GO FREE!
OH NO! NOT ME! SOMEONE ELSE WAS HERE! THEY HIT ME! I DIDN'T EVEN SEE WHO IT WAS!


WHOEVER IT WAS .. THEY MUST HAVE TAKEN CHARLIE WITH THEM, TOO!
BUT WHO WOULD DO SUCH A TH NG?


LOOK! CAPTAIN SLINKER IS PUTTING OUT TO SEA!
CAPTAIN SLINKER! OF COURSE! HE WANTS THE KONDOREE FOR HIMSELF!
FOR HIMSELF?


BUT, ACCORDING TO THE LEGEND, IT WILL ONLY BRING GOOD FORTUNE TO US... OF THIS ISLAND!
THAT ISN'T THE KIND OF FORTUNE HE'S AFTER! HE TOLD US IT'S WORTH THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS AT ANY ZOO IN THE WORLD!


AND BY NOW CAPTAIN SLINKER ACTUALLY BELIEVES THAT!
WE'D BE FOOLS TO DUMP THIS BIRD IN THE SEA, JUGG: WE CAN ALWAYS GO BACK AND PICKER THE ISLANDERS OUT OF THEIR PEARLS ... BUT A TALKING KONDOREE ... THAT'S SOMETHING WE GOTTA CASH IN ON RIGHT NOW!
OMIGOSH!


THEY DON'T KNOW I'M IN HERE WITH YOU, KONNY! THEY THINK YOU'VE BEEN DOING ALL THE TALKING!
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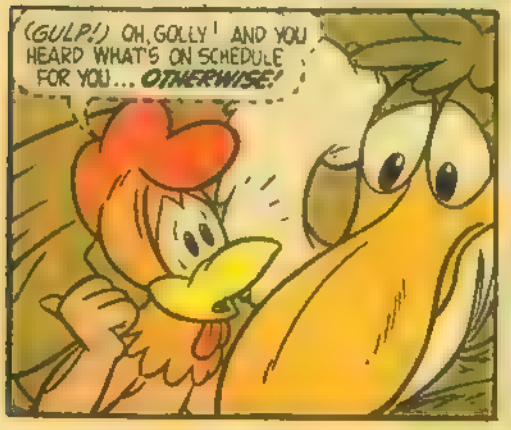
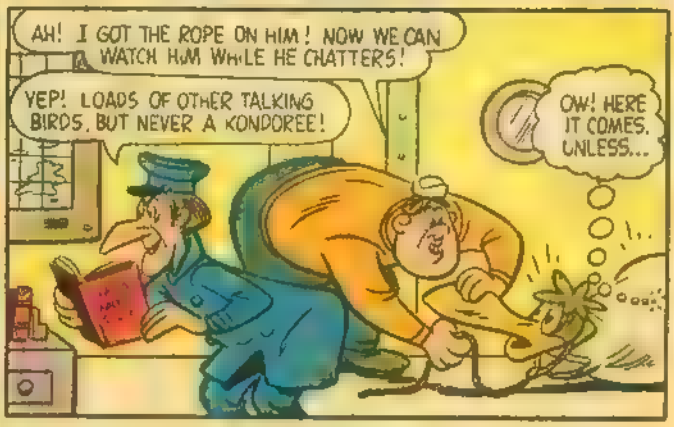
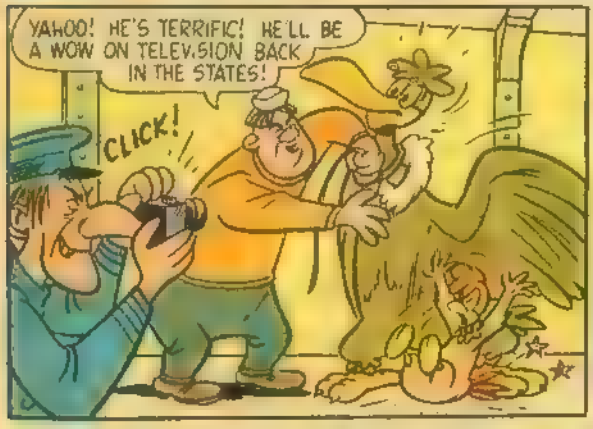
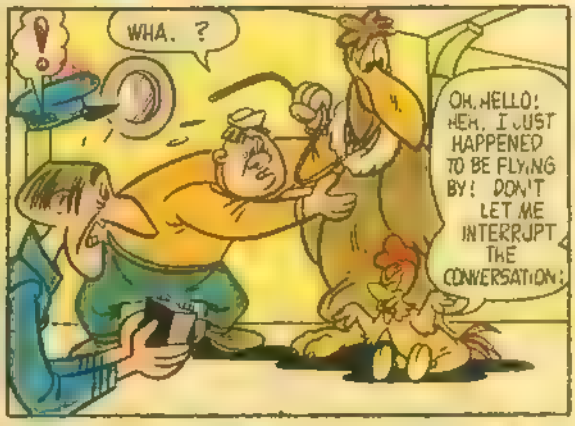

(GULP!) OH, GOLLY! AND YOU HEARD WHAT'S ON SCHEDULE FOR YOU... OTHERWISE!


AH! I GOT THE ROPE ON HIM! NOW WE CAN WATCH HIM WHILE HE CHATTERS!
YEP! LOADS OF OTHER TALKING BIRDS, BUT NEVER A KONDOREE!
OW! HERE IT COMES, UNLESS...

WELL, KEEP TALKING, DUMMY! SAY SOMETHING!
KERAWK!
JEEPERS, FELLAS... AT LEAST START SOME KIND OF A CONVERSATION!

JUGG! HE EVEN TALKS INTELLIGENT!
WE'VE GOT A GOLD MINE CAP'N... A BLINKIN FEATHERED GOLD MINE!
JUST TREAT ME NICE, BOYS!


YAHOO! HE'S TERRIFIC! HE'LL BE A WOW ON TELEVISION BACK IN THE STATES!
CLICK!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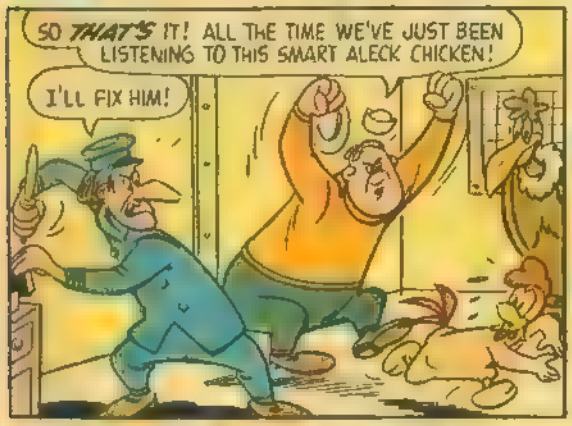
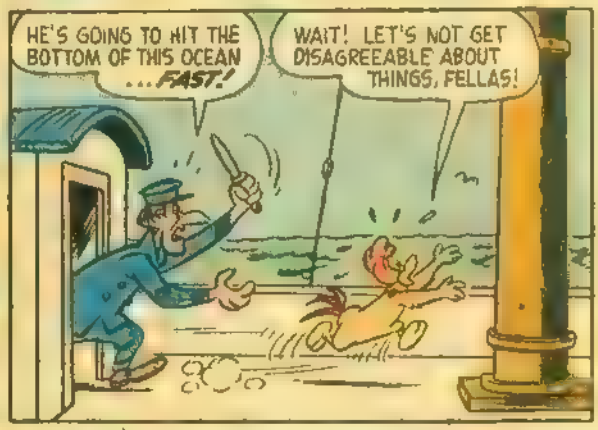
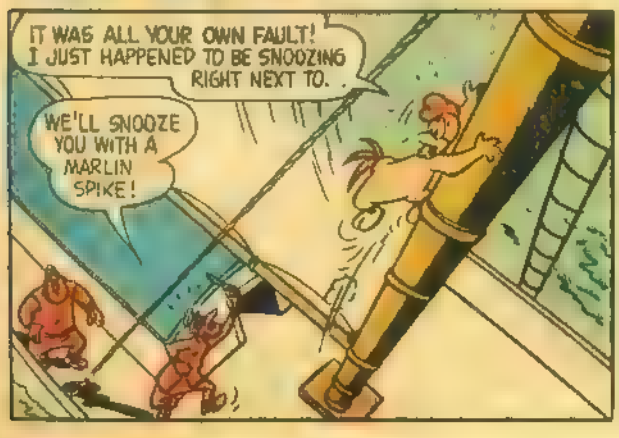
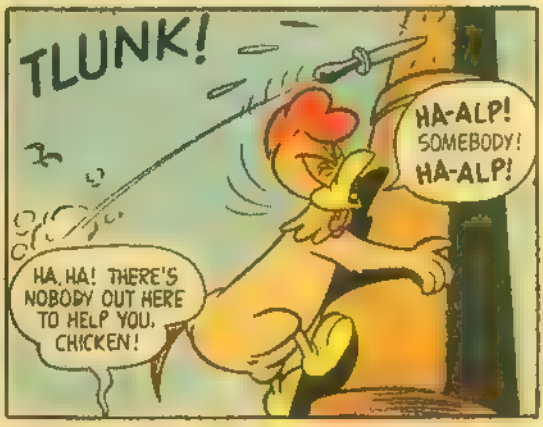
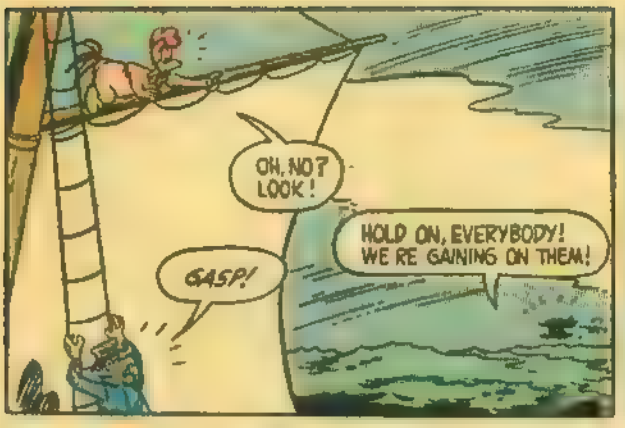
WHA. ?
OH, HELLO! HEH. I JUST HAPPENED TO BE FLYING BY! DON'T LET ME INTERRUPT THE CONVERSATION!

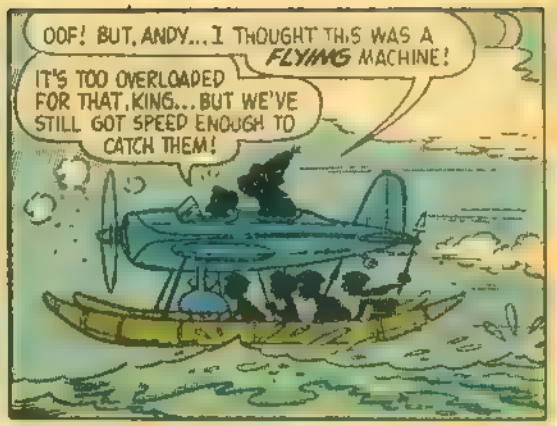

SO THAT'S IT! ALL THE TIME WE'VE JUST BEEN LISTENING TO THIS SMART ALECK CHICKEN!
I'LL FIX HIM!

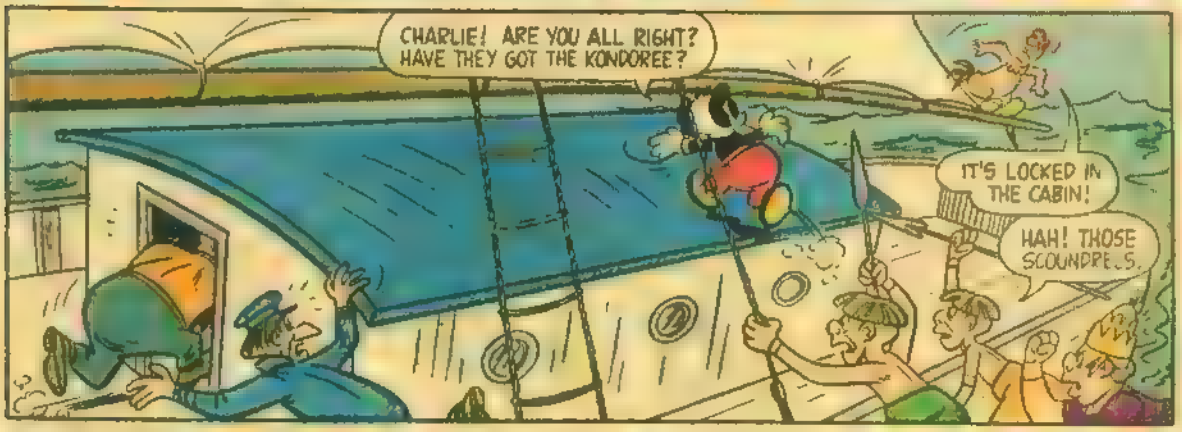

HE'S GOING TO HIT THE BOTTOM OF THIS OCEAN ...FAST!
WAIT! LET'S NOT GET DISAGREEABLE ABOUT THINGS, FELLAS!

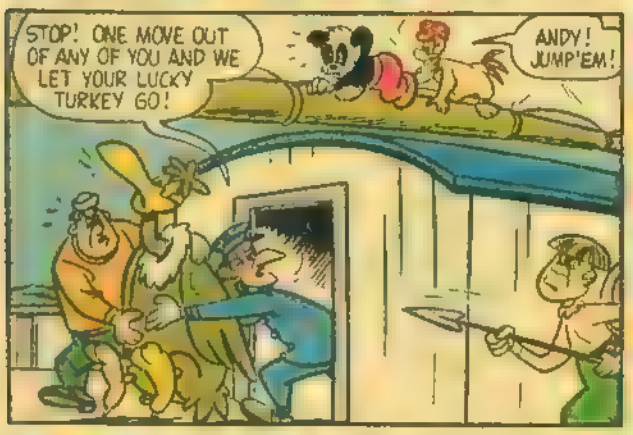

IT WAS ALL YOUR OWN FAULT! I JUST HAPPENED TO BE SNOOZING RIGHT NEXT TO..
WE'LL SNOOZE YOU WITH A MARLIN SPIKE!

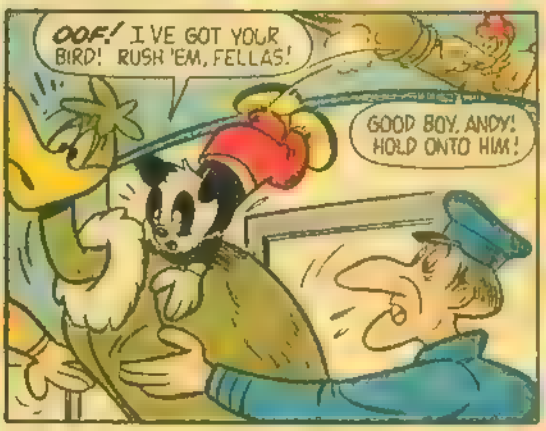

TLUNK!
HA-ALP! SOMEBODY! HA-ALP!
HA, HA! THERE'S NOBODY OUT HERE TO HELP YOU, CHICKEN!

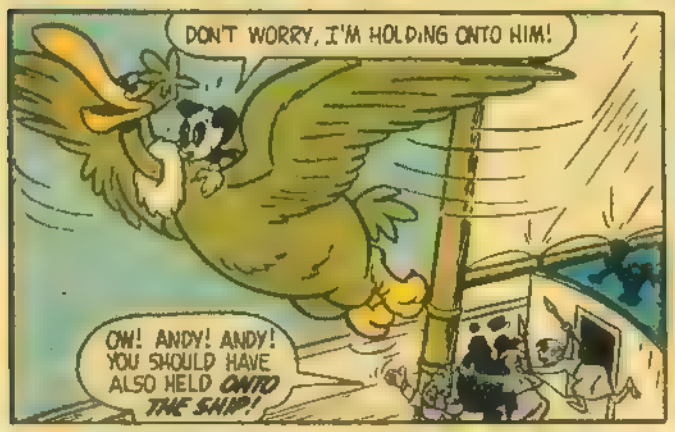

OH, NO? LOOK!
GASP!
HOLD ON, EVERYBODY! WE'RE GAINING ON THEM!

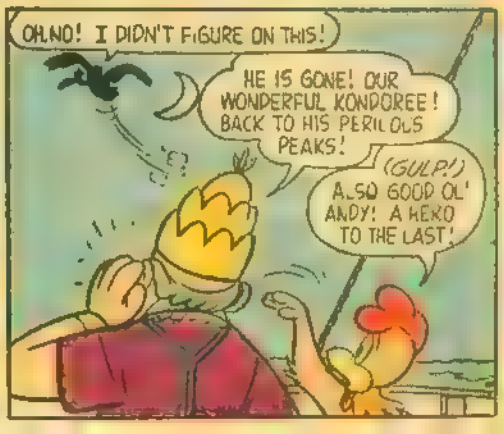

OOF! BUT, ANDY... I THOUGHT THIS WAS A FLYING MACHINE!
IT'S TOO OVERLOADED FOR THAT, KING... BUT WE'VE STILL GOT SPEED ENOUGH TO CATCH THEM!


CHARLIE! ARE YOU ALL RIGHT? HAVE THEY GOT THE KONDOREE?
IT'S LOCKED IN THE CABIN!
HAH! THOSE SCOUNDRELS.

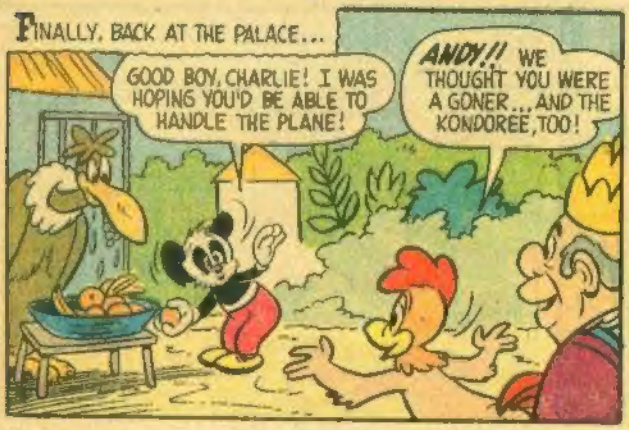

STOP! ONE MOVE OUT OF ANY OF YOU AND WE LET YOUR LUCKY TURKEY GO!
ANDY! JUMP'EM!

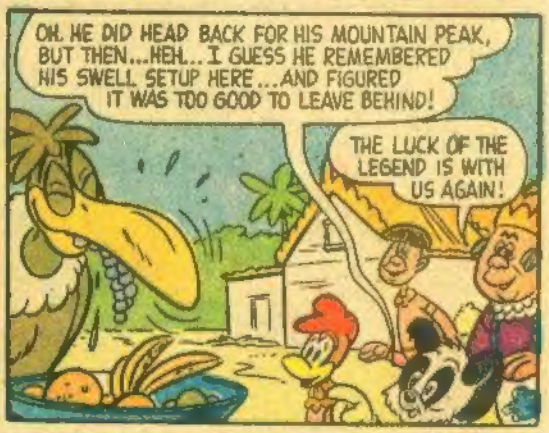

OOF! I'VE GOT YOUR BIRD! RUSH 'EM, FELLAS!
GOOD BOY, ANDY! HOLD ONTO HIM!

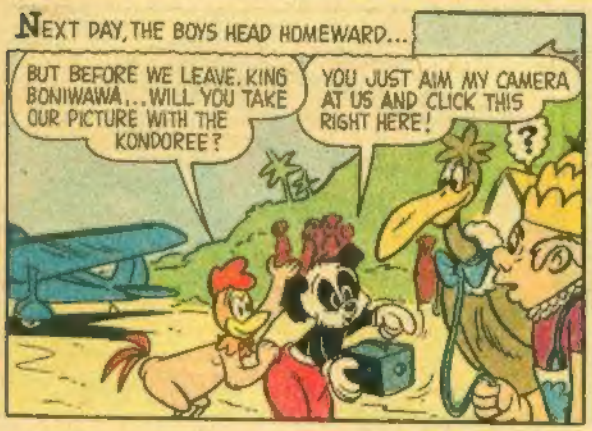

DON'T WORRY, I'M HOLDING ONTO HIM!
OW! ANDY! ANDY! YOU SHOULD HAVE ALSO HELD ONTO THE SHIP!


OH, NO! I DIDN'T FIGURE ON THIS!
HE IS GONE! OUR WONDERFUL KONDOREE! BACK TO HIS PERILOUS PEAKS!
(GULP!) ALSO GOOD OL' ANDY! A HERO TO THE LAST!

GLOOMY AND DISHEARTENED, THEY RETURN TO THE ISLAND!
(SNIFF!)...THINGS WON'T EVER BE THE SAME WITHOUT ANDY,... MY PAL...(SNIFF!)...MY BOSOM BUDDY...
CHUG! CHUG!
WE ADMIT WE FOOLED YOU ABOUT THE PEARLS, KING! AND WE WANTED TO GET THINGS BACK TO THE WAY THEY WERE BUT...
IT IS TOO LATE NOW! YOU CAN NEVER MAKE UP FOR WHAT WE HAD IN THE KONDOREE...AND IN A FRIEND LIKE ANDY!
WE'LL MAKE IT UP TO YOU ...HONEST!


FINALLY, BACK AT THE PALACE...
GOOD BOY, CHARLIE! I WAS HOPING YOU'D BE ABLE TO HANDLE THE PLANE!
ANDY!! WE THOUGHT YOU WERE A GONER...AND THE KONDOREE, TOO!


OH, HE DID HEAD BACK FOR HIS MOUNTAIN PEAK, BUT THEN...HEH... I GUESS HE REMEMBERED HIS SWELL SETUP HERE...AND FIGURED IT WAS TOO GOOD TO LEAVE BEHIND!
THE LUCK OF THE LEGEND IS WITH US AGAIN!


NEXT DAY, THE BOYS HEAD HOMEWARD...
BUT BEFORE WE LEAVE, KING BONIWAWA...WILL YOU TAKE OUR PICTURE WITH THE KONDOREE?
YOU JUST AIM MY CAMERA AT US AND CLICK THIS RIGHT HERE!
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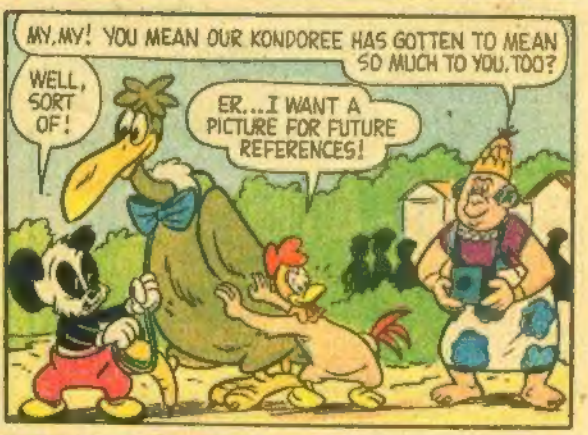
MY, MY! YOU MEAN OUR KONDOREE HAS GOTTEN TO MEAN SO MUCH TO YOU, TOO?
WELL, SORT OF!
ER...I WANT A PICTURE FOR FUTURE REFERENCES!

IT'S REALLY VERY SIMPLE! YOU SEE, HE'S THE ONLY BIRD WE'VE EVER MET THAT...HEH...
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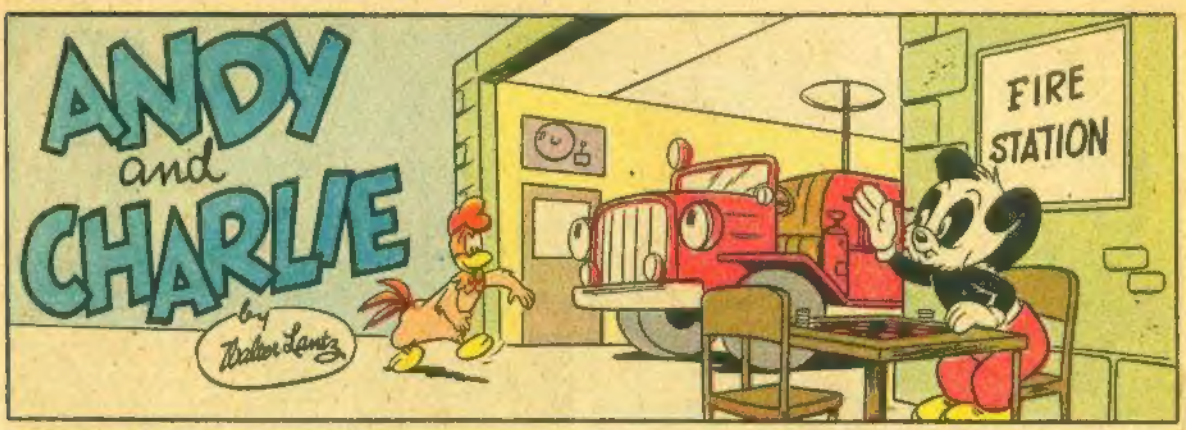
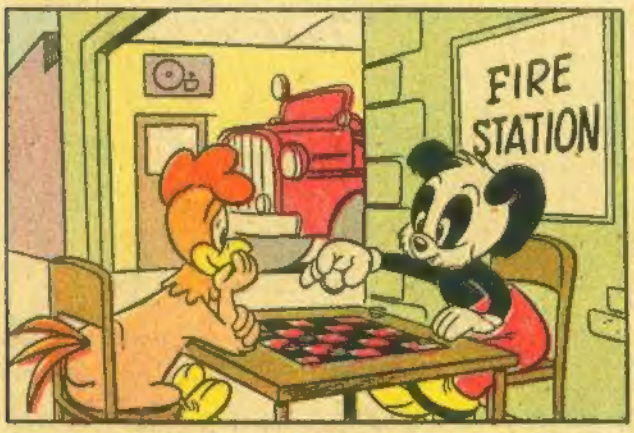
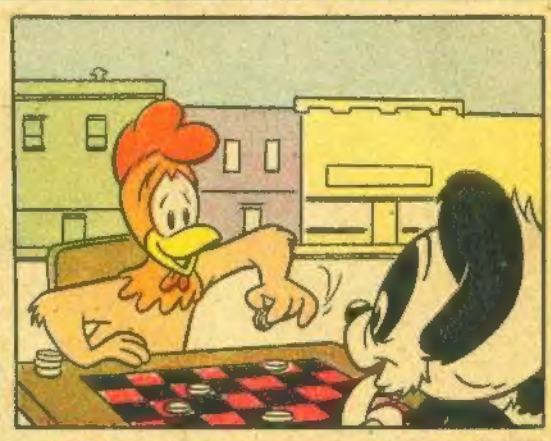
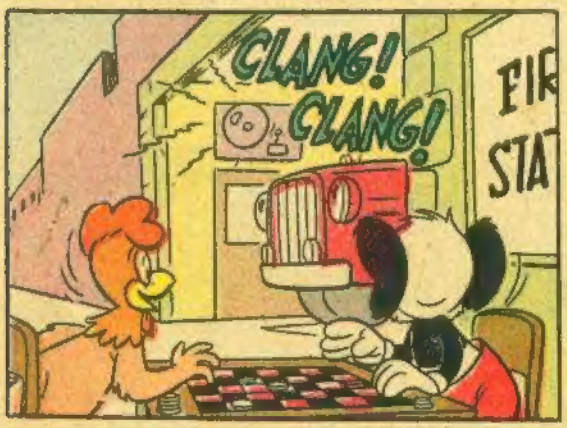
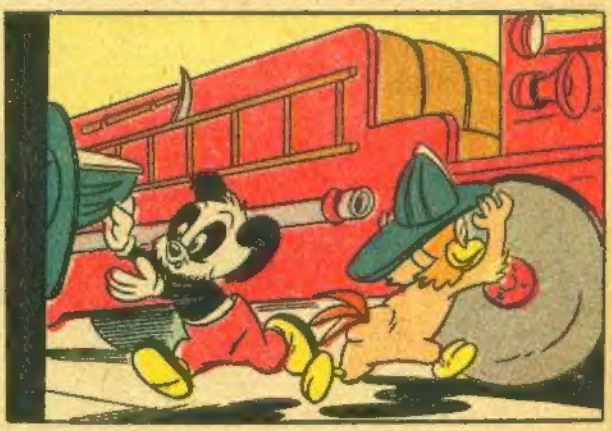
COULD MAKE CHARLIE LOOK SO GOOD!
BY COMPARISON! HEH...SEE WHAT WE MEAN?

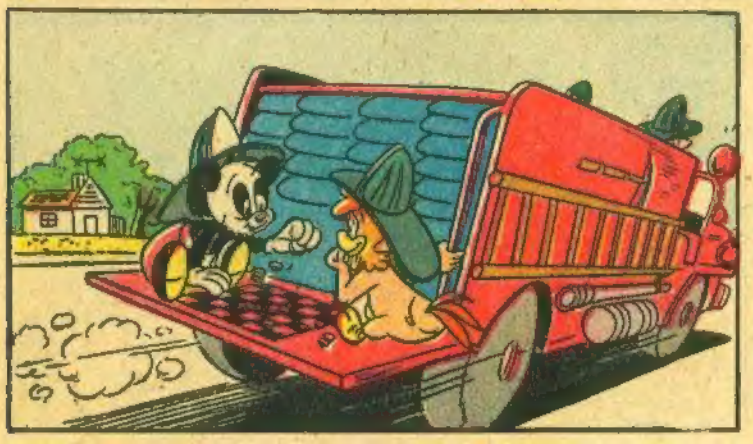












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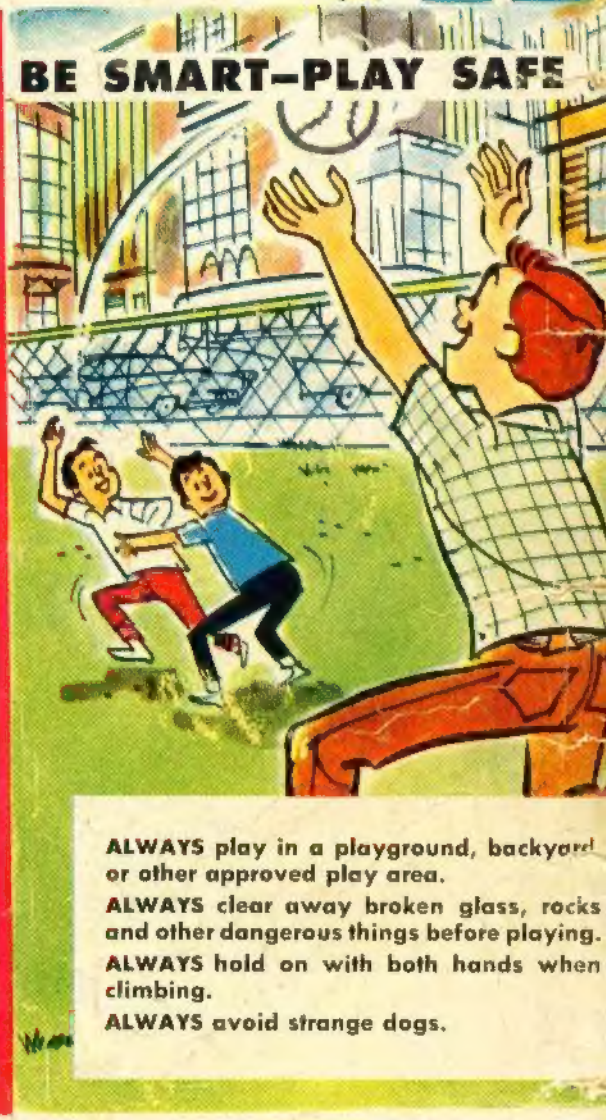
NEVER chase a ball into the street.

BE SMART—PLAY SAFE



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